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# EXPECT MANY TEACHERS HERE

DISTRICT MEETING WILL BE HELD AT COLLEGE.

## GOV. BAKER IS COMING

**Number of Prominent Speakers Secured For Annual Convention Thursday, Friday And Saturday.**

Maryville will entertain between 1,700 and 2,000 teachers from Northwest Missouri on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the annual meeting of the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association.

The program this year is said to be the best one of any district association with so many prominent speakers both in official and educational affairs.

Governor Sam A. Baker who will speak Thursday morning will arrive in Maryville Wednesday night.

Arrangements have been made to meet all visiting teachers at the stations and take them to downtown headquarters at the First Methodist Church where they will be assigned to rooms. With favorable weather a great many are expected to drive to Maryville. The public is invited to attend all sessions.

The following are the speakers for the general sessions and the subjects upon which they will speak:

At the general session Thursday, 8:30 a. m., there will be two speakers: Miss Ella V. Dobbs, President M. S. T. A.—"Some Essential Factors in Professional Progress," and Hon Chas. A. Lee, State Superintendent of Schools—"The Educational Outlook in Missouri."

Dr. P. P. Claxton, former U. S. Commissioner of Education—subject not announced.

General session Friday, 8:30 a. m., Dr. W. A. Brandenburg, President Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, Kan.—"Present Day Demands of Education;" Miss Mary McSkimmon, President National Education Association, subject not announced.

Friday, 7:30 p. m., Dr. J. W. Searson, Professor of English, University of Nebraska—"Pay Checks and Price Tags in Education."

Sessions Saturday, Oct. 17, 9:00 a. m: Hon. Frederick D. Gardner, Ex-Governor—"A Man's Shadow." Hon. Geo. H. Williams, U. S. Senator from Missouri—"Character and Conduct."

Dr. H. J. Waters, editor Weekly Kansas City Star, formerly Dean of College of Agriculture, University of Missouri and President Kansas Agricultural College—subject not announced.

At the sectional meetings the subjects announced so far are:

Thursday, 2:00 p. m.—Miss Cassie Burke, State Supervisor of Rural Schools—"Teaching Appreciation in Elementary Schools."

Fred Roach, County Superintendent Buchanan County—"Getting Most Out of the County Superintendent's Visit."

George D. Dietrich, Carrollton—"Academic and Professional Training Needed by a Beginning Primary Teacher."

W. Scott Smith—"What a Beginning Primary Teacher Should Know."

Dr. J. E. McKean, Superintendent Fillmore—"Standardized Spoken Word."

Mr. C. A. Phillips, Professor of Education, University of Missouri—"The Present Situation in Elementary Education."

Mrs. Allie Wilson, County Superintendent Mercer County—"The Relation of County Superintendent to the Small High School."

J. C. Godbey, State High School Inspector—"Moral Training in High School."

Mr. Glenn, S. T. C., Maryville—"The Tool Chest in Education."

Miss Ella Victoria Dobbs, President M. S. T. A.—"Art as an Essential in Every-day Life."

Friday 1:00 p. m.—President W. A. Brandenburg—"Is the Teachers College Functioning?"

J. M. Jamison, Head Department of Mathematics, Kirksville—"Mathematics in the High School Curriculum."

The other speakers have not announced their subjects.

**Announce Birth of Daughter.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter at St. Francis Hospital this afternoon. Mrs. Robinson was formerly Miss Audrey Craig. The baby is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craig.

## Leading Photographs on Exhibition Here

**Thirty Prints Secured by F. R. Marcell Through Courtesy Photographers Association of America.**

Thirty prints from the studios of the leading photographers of the country are on exhibition this week at the F. R. Marcell studio. These prints were secured by Mr. Marcell from the Photographers Association of America with whom they were exhibited earlier in the year.

It is the policy of the members of the association to take the best photographs exhibited annually and make them available for photographers in different parts of the country.

The public is invited to see the exhibit. Art classes and clubs of Maryville will study the work.

# SCHOOL HEADS TO MEET HERE

SUPERINTENDENTS TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS.

## BANQUET THAT NIGHT

**Session To Start At College At 2 O'Clock Wednesday Afternoon—Good Program Is Arranged.**

All of the county superintendents of schools in Northwest Missouri are expected to attend the conference to be held at the College Wednesday afternoon.

Rural school work will be discussed in a number of addresses to be given.

A banquet will be given at the Country Club Wednesday night under the auspices of the College. Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of schools and Dr. P. P. Claxton, former United States Commissioner of Education, will be the principal speakers.

The program for the superintendents meeting, which will start at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon is as follows:

Music.

Welcome to County Superintendents—President Lamkin, State Teachers College.

Response—D. D. Hooper, Andrew County.

Address—Hon. Chas. A. Lee, State Superintendent of Public Schools.

How to Eliminate the Unprepared Teacher—H. T. Phillips, State Teachers College.

Discussion led by Miss Irene O'Brien, Daviess County—

Supervisory Problems in a County Superintendent's Work—Round Table Discussion led by Fred E. Roach, Buchanan County.

Has Teacher Training Served Its Purpose in the High School?—Discussion led by Mrs. Frances Weir, Clinton County.

The Teaching of Reading—Round Table Discussion led by Leslie G. Somerville, Nodaway County.

Organization of County-wide Study Program—Discussion led by Mrs. Allie Wilson, Mercer County.

General Discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Watkins are entertaining the latter's mother, Mrs. Charles J. Koock of Oregon, who came yesterday for a week's visit.

# YOUNG FROYD FAVORS ANGUS

BABY BEEF WINNER TELLS OF HIS EXPERIMENT

## MAKES GOOD PROFIT

**Conception Junction Boy Clears $204.84—Weighs 1,057 Pounds When Sold at St. Joseph**

To have become interested in and developing a winning calf in the Interstate Baby Beef Show in St. Joseph is the achievement of Clifford Froyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Froyd of Conception Junction. And this in spite of the fact that there were entries in the show from Missouri, Kansas and Iowa.

"I wasn't much interested in the production of baby beef until I attended the show in St. Joseph last year," Clifford said. "When I saw all the nice calves there I began to want one, and then I decided I would feed one this year.

"We raise Angus cattle, so I naturally wanted an Angus calf. I picked one, born in January, from our herd. I gave the short, blocky calf a good wintering and on April 1, I put him on full feed. He has never been sick or off feed.

"I like the Angus because they are compact in body, short-legged, and wide out. They fatten more smoothly and marble their baby better than any other breed of cattle."

Young Froyd, who is 18 years old, realized well financially on his calf. His total profit on the animal was $204.84. After it had suffered a shrink in St. Joseph it was sold at $27.50 a hundred. Besides the sale price, he won $15 in premiums on the calf here and $35 in St. Joseph.

The calf was dropped on January 2 and weighed 805 pounds on April 1. When sold, it weighed 1057 pounds.

The calf was fed on a ration of shell corn, oats, oil meal, black-strap molasses, and oat straw. The total cost of feed after April 1 was $65.81, and the initial cost of the animal was $70. Miscellaneous expenditures on it totaled $3.70.

In speaking of young Froyd's winning, J. Ross Fleetwood, county farm agent said, "Every youngster shouldn't hope this much, but it shows what could be expected where a good calf is selected.

## Another School Is Made First Class

**Swinford Is Twenty-Sixth In Nodaway County To Receive This Educational Rank Of Distinction.**

The Swinford school, three miles east of Arkoe, is the twenty-sixth in Nodaway County to be approved as first class, Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent, announced this morning.

The certificate of approval has been mailed out to this school.

Nodaway County is far ahead of any other county in Missouri in the number of first-class rural schools. More are expected to be approved within a short time.

Mrs. Henry Hansen is the teacher of the Swinford school. About twenty pupils are enrolled.

## CHAMPION STOCK JUDGING TEAM

—Photo By Marcell.

Left to right—Fay Woodson Null, Maryville; Myron Crater, Ravenwood; and Eldon Moore, Ravenwood.

## Judges Exhibits at Saline County Show

**Leslie G. Somerville Says Event At Marshall Is Big Success—About Sixty Schools Participate.**

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was in Marshall Thursday and Friday of last week where he was a judge of the rural, grade and high school exhibits at the county-wide show held there last week.

About sixty schools were represented in the exhibits, Mr. Somerville said and all of the products shown were excellent, he added.

School day was held on Friday and about 3,000 students were in the parade.

# IS KILLED AT RAIL CROSSING

W. I. THOMAS OF RAVENWOOD IS ACCIDENT VICTIM.

## COULDN'T STOP TRAIN

**Engineer Of Wabash Passenger Yesterday Morning Trying to Make Up Time—Ford Car Is Demolished.**

W. I. Thomas, 46 years old, a blacksmith and general repair man at Ravenwood for a number of years, was struck by the east-bound Wabash passenger train at the Wildcat crossing, about four miles east of Clyde, at 11:15 o'clock yesterday morning, and instantly killed.

Mr. Thomas was driving a Ford car and was on his way to Stanberry on business.

No one was with him at the time of the accident.

The car was coming up on the track at the Wildcat crossing where there is a clear view each way for several hundred yards. The engineer of the east-bound Wabash saw the car just as it was coming up on the tracks but as his train was a few minutes late he was going at a fast speed, endeavoring to make up lost time and was unable to stop the train before it struck the Ford in which Mr. Thomas was riding.

The car was carried for about 1,500 yards and demolished.

It is thought that Mr. Thomas was killed instantly. The body was badly mangled and was taken to an undertaking establishment at Stanberry and brought to Ravenwood about 8 o'clock last night.

An inquest is being held at Stanberry this afternoon.

Mr. Thomas moved from Alanthus to Ravenwood a number of years ago. He had conducted a blacksmith and general repair shop for some time.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three children, Miss Betty Thomas, a student at the State Teachers College here, Herbert and Charles Thomas, both attending school at Ravenwood.

The funeral services will be held at the Thomas home at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, conducted by the Rev. C. L. Uht. Burial will be in Oak Lawn cemetery.

## Roy Yeaman Went to Jail Today

**Will Serve Out A Sentence of Three Months and Also A Fine Of $500.**

Roy Yeaman went to the county jail today to serve out his sentence of three months and also a fine of $500 for the possession of intoxicating liquor. Yeaman was tried at the January term of circuit court and was convicted, having received a sentence of three months and a fine of $500. An appeal was granted but it was never perfected and in court today Yeaman surrendered himself to Sheriff Campbell and commenced serving his sentence.

Two other State cases against Yeaman on liquor charges were dismissed by the prosecuting attorney, George Pat Wright, with the costs taxed against the defendant.

## K. C. Street Car Company to Be Sold

Kansas City, Oct. 12.—The Kansas City Railways Co. will be sold and the receivership dissolved December 15.

Members of the committee requested postponement on the grounds that Judge Kimbrough Stone should be given additional time in which to study the reorganization plan.

# NEXT MEET AT FT. DODGE, IA.

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE HERE ENDS SUNDAY.

## FULLER INTERESTING

**Startling Disclosures of Chinese and Indian Customs Made in Address Sunday Morning.**

The 1926 convention of the Des Moines Branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will be held in Fort Dodge, Ia., next October. This will be the forty-second annual meeting.

Fort Dodge asked for the convention this year but Maryville was chosen. There was no opposition for next year's place of meeting.

The program yesterday was as outlined in Saturday's paper. The feature was the address yesterday morning by the Rev. M. B. Fuller of Cleveland. Yesterday afternoon there was a farewell service for seven persons who will soon leave to become foreign missionaries.

Last night there were demonstrations by young people and their leaders under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Leland. H. O. Hickernell of the State Teachers College faculty, sang a baritone solo.

Startling conditions in China and India were revealed in the address given at the Sunday morning session by the Rev. M. B. Fuller of Cleveland. Dr. Fuller, who recently returned from a six-month's trip to the Orient, depicted vividly many phases of the life in those countries in his plea for a "wider and more comprehensive Christianity."

In speaking of the missionary movement, Dr. Fuller said, "Every worthwhile enterprise is characterized by three factors: a worthy object, the manner of carrying it out, and sufficient incentive to carry it through and to a glorious end. All this is true of the movement to spread Christianity into countries where it is most needed."

Dr. Fuller stressed the fact that a wider Methodism is not the desired goal. "The objective of all churches should be nothing less than the Christianization of the world," he said. "Particular creeds are secondary things."

In speaking of Chinese conditions, he said that, contrary to the belief in this country, about 75,000 women and girls in China have bound feet. He also cited foreign domination in many parts of China, and later told of the gradual change from the non-militaristic policy. As proof of this he said that there are now better than 1,500,000 men up in arms in that republic.

"China is changing greatly," he said. "here is the change from agricultural life to that of business; from a monarchy to a republic; and from the domination of Confucious to at least the toderation of other creeds.

"A man dosn't think any more of two or three faiths in China than we do of being a Methodist, a Democrat, and a Kiwanian."

Dr. Fuller spoke at length on child marriages in India. He told of the excess of female deaths and the number of infants who die annually. "One out of every seventy-two girl babies in India is married between the ages of 2 and 3 years," he said. "Between the ages of 5 and 10, the ratio is one out of ten. Two out of every five are married between the ages of 10 and 15, and four out of every five are married before they are 20 years old."

Dr. Fuller also told of the customs of India, and his descriptions of funeral barges, bathing in the Ganges River, and other conditions were realistically brought forth.

He also touched on conditions in several of the European countries, bringing out what Paganism had given the world.

Conditions in this country in comparison to those in the Orient were portrayed by the speaker. He told of the belief on the part of Orientals that America is in a barbarous state, and he cited one instance where Chinese people grew solicitous about the welfare of a missionary, home on furlough, and cabled him to "come back to China and get away from the wickedness of America."

"The reason we're so anxious to put across our program of foreign missions is that we realize the people over there know how we live here," the speaker concluded.

At the service last night, life memberships in the Little Light Bearers were conferred on Beatriee Leeson.

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## Communists in Clash With French Officers

**After Failure Of Attempt To Call General Strike, Radicals Are Aroused To Action In Suburban Town.**

Paris, Oct. 12.—Communists, disappointed over the failure of their efforts for a general strike, this afternoon clashed with the police of St. Denis, a suburb of Paris. The communists attempted to enter an automobile factory to prevent the workers from continuing their labors. The police and two other patrolmen were seriously injured.

The communist mayor of St. Denis is reported to have aided the assailants of the police in escaping arrest.

# WOULD CEASE AIR VENTURES

REPRESENTATIVE MADDEN OUTLINES HIS PLAN.

## URGES GREATER UNITY

**Illinois Republican Would Tie Up Commercial and Governmental Aircraft Mfg. Plants for Use.**

Washington, Oct. 12.—Accusing the army and navy of squandering "millions of dollars in a meaningless experimental aviation orgy," Representative Martin B. Madden, Republican of Illinois, chairman of the House of appropriations committee, today recommended to the President's air board a new military aviation policy, directly linking private aircraft manufacturers to the national defense.

Madden flayed the present policy of the army and navy as wasteful and charged both air services with a flat failure in their efforts to develop military aviation.

The Congressman's proposal for a new military air policy included:

An air budget of $87,500,000 a year for the purchase of 1,500 new planes annually from private manufacturers and the maintenance of a both army and navy flying force of 1,500 commissioned officers and 15,000 enlisted men.

Abandonment of all aircraft experiments and manufactures by both army and navy.

A delegation of experimental manufacturers to establish commercial aircraft companies in order to build up these concerns as a reserve force for use in time of war.

Creation of a civilians' procurment officer who would purchase all government aircraft, supervise its construction, and direct experimental work by the private companies.

Elimination of some existing governmental aircraft fields by the maintenance of two on the western coast, two in the Mississippi valley, two on the southern coast and two on the eastern coast.

Prohibition of all air stunts, including "joy riding cruises around the world, jumping across the Pacific, and attempts to reach the North Pole," so that all military air training will be devoted to war tactics.

Madden cited testimony given by both Major-General Patrick, chief of the army air service, and by Rear-Admiral William Moffett, head of the navy air service to support his charges that the two services had failed in their efforts to develop military aviation.


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"TOO MUCH EFFICIENCY"

An unmarried efficiency engineer tries his luck managing a household according to the latest methods of scientific economy.

He succeeds part way, but for the rest of it——well, that's the secret of the story.

"Too Much Efficiency," E. J. Rath's latest serial creation, is guaranteed to produce a laugh from everyone from six to sixty and up.

It is one of those stories filled to overflowing with "chuckles" and "loud laughs," and is one of the most popular newspaper serials in years.

"Too Much Efficiency" starts in today's Democrat-Forum. Just read the first installment—and you won't need any more invitations.

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# MORE CARE IN MAIL SERVICE

PILOTS WILL NOT BE SENT INTO BAD WEATHER ZONES.

## AMES' BODY IS FOUND

**Investigating Committee At Work On Formal Report—Expect Verdict Of Unavoidable Death In Duty.**

Washington, Oct. 12.—Pilots in the air mail service will not be sent into weather conditions that are "plainly hazardous," Postmaster-General New said today in a statement deploring the death of Charles Ames, pilot between New York and Chicago.

Bellefonte, Pa., Oct. 12.—Formal investigation into the death of Charles Ames, United States air mail pilot, 32, of Cleveland, Ohio, opened today under the direction of C. F. Egge, superintendent of air mail.

After viewing the wrecked plane, the investigators were expected to submit a formal finding to the postmaster-general that Ames' death was unavoidable and occurred while the pilot was on duty.

Bellefonte, Pa., Oct. 12.—The frantic search for Charles Ames, air mail pilot, who disappeared 10 days ago, ended last Saturday on Nittany mountain, six miles northeast of Bellefonte, when the body of the birdman was found in his wrecked plane, which had crashed against the side of the mighty hill. A party of searchers, one of the thousands who tramped the hills and valleys since Ames was reported lost came upon the wreckage late Saturday morning. Ames' body, bearing only a few bruises, was found in the cockpit of the ship.

**Trees Crash About Ship.**

Nature conspired to keep the fate of the bird man unknown, for, when the wrecked ship was found, it was discovered that four kings of the forests broken off when the plane crashed into them, had formed a perfect cover. Under these four big trees, completely shrouded, rested the wreckage containing the pilot's body.

Word of the find spread through the mountains rapidly and soon hundreds of searchers, together with the air mail officials from the Bellefonte field, were on the scene. The body, lifted from the cockpit, was brought to Bellefonte and taken to an undertaking establishment.

## Four Senator Pitchers Fail; Pirates Win, 6-3

**Thirteen Hits By Victors Make Standing of Series Now 3-2 for Washington.**

Four Washington pitchers were not sufficient and Pittsburgh, with Aldridge at the helm, took the fifth of the world series games today at Washington, 6 to 3. The standing of the series is now three and two in favor of Washington.

The Pirates scored twice in the third and seventh and once in the eighth and ninth. The Senators tallied once each in the first, fourth, and seventh.

Aldridge allowed seven scattered hits, while his mates were pounding the Washington moundsmen for a total of thirteen safeties. The Pirates played errorless ball, while the losers of today's battle made one bobble.

Tomorrow the teams play in Pittsburgh.

The batteries were: Washington—Coveleskie, Balleaux, Zachary, Marberry, and Ruel. Pittsburgh—Aldridge and Smith.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Cold slightly cloudy weather dawned here today for the fifth and perhaps deciding game of the World's Series.

Washington, Oct. 12.—President Coolidge decided this morning to attend the fifth game of the World's Series this afternoon between Pittsburgh and Washington.

Because he has an engagement to meet the new minister from Czecho-Slovakio, the President may not be able to remain for the entire game.

## The Weather

Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, probably some rain; slightly colder Tuesday and in the northwest portion tonight.

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### INDUSTRY CONSOLIDATING

Large productive capacity and keen competition is compelling manufacturers in many lines to give much attention to the problem of cutting down production costs. Some are accomplishing this by consolidation.

Within a fortnight three national baking companies have merged. Each of them was the result of previous combinations. Behind all of these mergers apparently was the necessity of reducing the cost of production and distribution. The automobile industry has shown a similar tendency for years. The steel and meat industries are even earlier examples.

Meanwhile, the public attitude toward industrial and business development by combinations has undergone a radical change. The public realizes that it is often the beneficiary from these mergers and no longer cries "trust" and "monopoly" every time there are whisperings of combinations.

Big business concerns are little criticized today as long as they conduct themselves ethically, and it can be said for modern business that ethically it is head and shoulders above its ancestors. Some modern corporations of great magnitude discreetly refrain from talking about the family tree.

If Ponce De Leon could have foreseen the possibilities of Florida real estate, he might have been willing to abandon the fountain of youth for the fountain of wealth.

The Russians have launched a movement to abolish handshaking. If handshaking is an evil, which we do not admit, they are neglecting a great many major evils to attack a minor one.

### READING BY PROXY

"The most accomplished way of using books is to serve them as some people do lords: Learn their titles and then brag of their acquaintance," once wrote Laurence Sterne, man of letters.

Sterne died in 1768 but what he said sometime prior to that year is as true today as then if "accomplished" be interpreted in its popular sense. It is still a popular thing to talk about book titles but, as Sterne imputes was the case in his day, thinking about book contents is not so popular.

The American public is buying more and more books. It is buying more books than any other people. And the American public is buying good books, its taste for books is improving by rapid stages. But buying books and reading them are as different as shopping and thinking. Millions of copies of the classics are sold annually in the United States, but it would be safe to estimate that less than one-half of one per cent of them are read beyond their introductions and perhaps a thumbing expedition through the chapter heads.

Everywhere you go, however, you can hear people talking about the deep reading they are doing and reviewing for their friends the latest novels and books on the fad sciences. And they talk about them as though from first hand knowledge. If they aren't doing a tremendous amount of reading where do they get all of their information, somebody asks. The answer lies in the new popularity of the book review. There are several in magazine form and scores in Sunday supplement and newspaper column form. The supply is evidence of the demand.

So it has come to pass that we are a nation synthetic and second-hand readers. But better thus than no readers at all. And then the contributors to the better book reviews are many of them as capable literary men as those whose works they write about so the lazy reader in a measure derives from the review something more than the privilege to brag of the acquaintance of the books he has read in review.

Ewing Cockrell of Warrensburg, for more than eight years judge in the circuit court of the Seventeenth Missouri district, announced his candidacy for the United States Senate, subject to the state Democratic primaries next year.

In an appeal to the Democratic voters of Missouri, he said he was a candidate for two chief reasons: First, that he differed with Mr. Hawes and did not think he should be elected, and second, that "I would like very much to be a senator myself."

Others who may enter the race for the Democratic nomination are: Former governor Frederick D. Gardner, former State Senator John D. Taylor of Keytesville, Charles M. Hay of St. Louis, and former Congressman James T. Lloyd of Canton. Congressman Harry B. Hawes announced his candidacy several weeks ago and has made a campaign over the state.

The State tax of 2 cents a gallon on gasoline used for motor vehicle fuel produced $3,026,871.31 for the State road fund in the first eight months after the tax became effective on Jan. 1 last, the State Oil Inspection Department announced. This forecasts a total of approximately $4,500,000 from the tax in 1925.

## Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I don't hardly ever miss a movie except on days when Papa calls me 'Young man' instead of 'Old scout.'"

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## Fortune Tellers Prosper in Capital

Washington Is America's Only City Of Importance Where Practice Goes On Regularly Without Interference.

(By Charles P. Stewart).

Washington—Washington is America's only city of importance where fortune telling, in its various forms, goes on regularly, professionably, openly and uninterfered with by the law.

Since secrecy is unnecessary and publicity pays, in the realm of the occult as in most other fields, the fortune tellers advertise in the newspapers or otherwise.

Consequently, it's possible here, which it isn't where they must operate under cover, to form some idea as to their number.

Exact figures, to be sure, are unavailable. Suffice to say, however, that the community is surprisingly large, and seemingly prosperous.

Of all the capital's seers and seeresses, Mme. Marcia probably is the best known, by virtue of the fact that she had ready access to the White House during part of two administrations, as practitioner-of-astrology—extraordinary to the then "first ladies in the land."

In late middle life, Mme. Marcia runs strongly to embonpoint. Of book learning, except such as relates to astrology, she has very little, and regrets it.

"Oh, if I only had an education!" she remarked, during a talk I had with her one day.

Mme. Marcia practiced mediumship in her youth and admits that she found the spirits extremely unreliable. "But the stars," she says, "can't lie."

I think she believes in her hokus pokus herself.

The question arises, "To what extent to spiritual, astrological and other occult suggestions influence governmental policies and decisions, executive, legislative and judicial?"

Not much, I imagine. Mme. Marcia, it's true, speaks of numerous governmental higher-ups among her clients, but she's vague as to names, and I surmise that, in this respect, she exaggerates a bit. Prof. Marcus La Marr, "Washington's famous medium," agrees with me.

"I sincerely wish," he told me, "that I could honestly assure you we run the whole government, but the idea's ridiculous. Your typical politician is the last man I'd pick as suspectible to any influence but his own best interests. Spirits? Pooh! To influence a politician you need something a lot more concrete—something he can see and feel will do him some good, like a bunch of votes."

Read the Want Ads.

IF AT FIRST YOU DON'T SUCCEED.

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DON'TS FOR NOT TAKING COLD

Don't sleep in rooms with closed windows—if you get cold, get more covers.

Don't overheat your house—70 degrees is warm enough.

Don't wear heavy clothing indoors.

Regulate your clothing to the weather.

Wash your teeth.

Eat and sleep regularly.

Stay out doors as much as possible.

Ventilate your home and office.

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## 2,328 Miles of State Highway Completed

An Additional 2176 Miles of Graded Earth Road Ready for Hard-Surfacing.

Jefferson City, Oct. 12.—The State Highway Department had constructed a total of 4504 miles of graded earth and hard-surfaced roads up to October 1, at a cost of $67,997,685, since the department began its work on the State highway system in 1921, Chief Highway Engineer, B. H. Piepmeier stated in a report issued today.

The work done includes 2328 miles of hard-surfacing, representing 30½ per cent of the 7640-mile State system. Of the 2176 miles of graded earth road completed, 697 miles have been placed under contract for hard-surfacing.

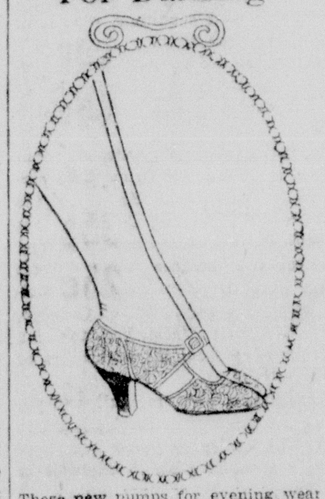
Projects now under contract include 660 miles of graded earth, to cost $8,057,979; 1341 miles of hard-surfacing, $31,467,939, and bridge work along these roads to cost $2,452,900. The work under contract totals $41,978,819.

Piepmeier's report on road work finished includes both completed projects and the completed mileage on construction contracts still in progress.

The 4504 miles of road completed include 2176 miles of graded earth, costing $19,573,123; 2328 miles of hard-surfacing, costing $43,456,126, and bridge work costing $4,968,436, totaling $67,997,685.

Read the Want Ads.

## For Dancing



These new pumps for evening wear are of gold brocade, with a suggestion of the sandal about them, but with straps over the instep fastened with a gilt buckle. They are much more comfortable for dancing than the opera pump.

## Real Western Film at Electric Theater

Fate in a kindly mood prevented serious injury if not death while "Let 'er Buck" Universal special, Hoot Gibson's most recent starring vehicle to be shown in the Electric theatre commencing tonight, was being filmed. Buddy Harris, assistant cameraman for the company, does not know yet just what impulse caused him to descend from a sixty-foot parallel, or platform, on which he had been grinding a camera for three hours, just three minutes before the accident occurred.

"Let 'er Buck" was filmed in Pendleton, Oregon, during the progress of the famous Round-Up held annually in that city. In order to record on the film the activities of the contestants in the big arena it was necessary to place a camera high in the air. In a lull in the program activities Harris climbed down to hold conference with Edward Sedgwick, director of the picture.

## Deans of Women to Meet at St. Louis

(Green and White Courier)

Dean Barnard is in charge of the program for the department meeting of the Deans of Women at the meeting of the State Teachers' Association in St. Louis, November 10 to 14. Last year at the Kansas City meeting they adopted the slogan, "A Dean of Women in Every High School."

This year they are holding a joint meeting with the high school principals. They expect to open the program with a talk by a principal who sees the value of a dean of girls. His subject will be "The Significance of a Dean of Girls to the Principal." This address will be followed by another, "The Significance of a Dean of Girls to the High School Girls," given by a dean of girls. The purpose of the program is to interest high school principals in creating the office of dean of women.

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## The Premier Radio

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## K. C. Population Is Estimated at 367,481

New Census Figures Are Made Public At Department Of Commerce—St. Louis Has 821,523.

Washington, Oct. 12.—New census figures for a large number of cities, based on the calculation of the rate of increase since 1920, were made public today by the department of commerce.

Chicago has 2,995,239 in the city proper, and Philadelphia ranks as the third city with more than two million. Figures on New York City were not available. Some of the figures announced today were: St. Louis, 821,523; San Francisco, 557,530; Washington, 497,906; Kansas City, 367,481.

## Next Meet at Ft. Dodge, Ia.

(Continued from page 1).

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Leeson; Gale Dae Donohue, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Donohue; Bobby Hake, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hake; and Evangeline Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott. Two others were pledged: Martha Cunningham of Tarkio, and James Charles Sickels, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sickels of Enid, Okla., and grandson of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James.

A resolution of thanks to the people of Maryville was also adopted Sunday night.

## Deposal of Bishop Is Formally Decreed

New Orleans, Oct. 12.—The deposal of the Right Rev. William Montgomery Brown, convicted of heresy by a church court, was decreed at 9:30 o'clock this morning in St. Paul's Church by the Most Rev. Bishop Ethelbert Talbot, presiding bishop of the church. Bishop Brown did not appear to accept the sentence.

## A Life Term for Everette Adams

Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 12.—A verdict of guilty and sentence of life imprisonment was returned at 11:06 o'clock Saturday night in Pettis County circuit court by the jury in the trial of Everette Adams, 17-year-old Wilmington, O., youth charged with first degree murder for the killing of Prof. Aden R. Clawson, 43, of Lodi, N. Y., near here August 1.

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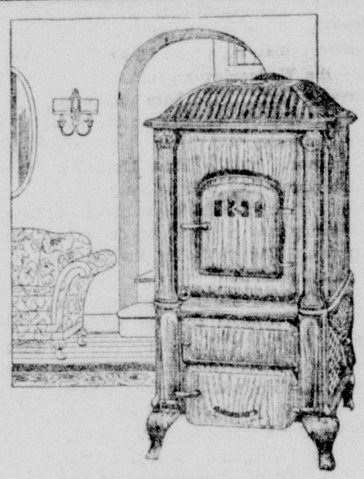

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**M. T. HALL**

Auctioneers—Cols. Chas. Taylor, Albert Robertson, Merritt D. Miller.

## Closing Out Sale

Having sold my tract of land and decided to leave for California, I will sell at public auction at my place one-fourth mile west of Engelmann Greenhouse on

## Wednesday, October 14th

beginning at 1:00 p. m. the following described property:

**HORSES**—One bay mare, 12 years old; one sorrel horse, coming 8 years old; three good milk cows; 2 calves; one set 1¼ inch work harness; two sets single harness; one Peter Schuttler wagon, good as new; one top buggy; one lister; 2 drills; one 2-section harrow; one single shovel diamond plow; one cultivator; one Deering mower; one hay rake; one 400 lb scales; one post auger; spade; potato fork; garden tools.

**FEED**—Alfalfa and mowed oats in barn. 50 bushels oats and some shelled corn.

One De Laval separator; one cross-cut saw; one 1-man saw; hand saws; one work bench; one 30-gallon kettle; pump, wrenches and jack; three jack screws; one road scraper; one barrel cider vinegar; 40 rods new woven wire; 32-inch stove wood and lawn mower.

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS**—One dining table; one buffet; six chairs; three bedroom suites; one iron bed; one book case; rockers; feather beds and comforts; two rugs, one 9x12, one 10x10; one extra good heating stove; one oil heater; one 3 burner oil stove; one white enamel work table; one kitchen table and chairs; dishes; canned fruit; six, eight and twelve gallon stone jars. Other articles too numerous to mention.

**USUAL TERMS.**

**E. J. Andrews**

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. First National Bank, Clerk.

CLUB AND CHURCH CALENDAR

**Monday**

Evening Auxiliary of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of First Methodist Church, postponed meeting in ladies' parlors at church, 7:30 p.m.; Mrs. Emmett Scott, Mrs. W. W. Stanfield and Mrs. S. J. Donahue will be hostesses.

**Tuesday**

Mutual Improvement Circle, postponed meeting at home of Mrs. Louisa Catterson on North Main street instead of Mrs. Eugene Ogden; program on Missouri State Laws.

Mary Graham Chapter, Delphian Society, home of Mrs. F. S. King; "Merchant of Venice" will be studied.

Ladies Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post, V. F. W., regular meeting in Post rooms, 8 p. m.

**Wednesday**

Business and finance department of Twentieth Century Club, postponed meeting at rest rooms in courthouse; "Life Insurance for Women" will be the subject discussed.

I. X. L. Embroidery Club, Mrs. Anna Stauble hostess.

Homemakers Class of M. E. Church, South, postponed meeting at home of Mrs. Earl Henderson on W. Fifth street; Mrs. N. F. Humber assisting hostess.

Xenia B. T. W. Club, all-day meeting; Mrs. Randolph Holt hostess at home of Mrs. John Swaney.

Social Hour Club meets with Mrs. R. T. Spurgeon.

Elkhorn Community Club, home of Miss Ethyle Kenney.

Herron Homemaking Circle, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Charles Workman.

I. F. A. Club, weiner roast for members and families at Elm Grove school.

Skidmore Neighborly Club, Mrs. Fred Barber, hostess; third Fine Arts program will be given.

L. V. and S. R. Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Ed Richard; quilting.

**Thursday**

Maryville Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, birthday party at Beal Place, with Mrs. Thaddeus K. Beal, Miss Beal and Miss Bertha Beal as hostesses; program on Missouri music and Missouri composers, past and present.

Rockford Community Club meets with Mrs. Harry McDowell; roll call will be answered by needs of community.

Skidmore Study Club, Mrs. Leta Bodle hostess.

Ravenwood Literary Progressive Club meets with Mrs. E. H. Sims; program will be in charge of Mrs. M. Goodson and Mrs. David Crater.

**Class Meeting Postponed.**

The meeting of the Wesleyan Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, to have been held Thursday night, has been postponed until next week.

**Birthday Party at M. E. Church.**

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Church will entertain with a birthday party in the basement of the church Friday evening. Invitations are being sent to every member of the church and congregation, and all are asked to come in costume representing some nation, book, song, cartoon, etc. Proceeds from the affair will be used for equipping the kitchen with cooking utensils.

**Family Reunion.**

A family reunion was held yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanning of Harmony. The following relatives were entertained at dinner: Miss Bertha Fanning of Greeley, Colo., Mrs. Rex Vickers of Shenandoah, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Dale Goforth and daughter, Genevieve, of Barnard, Roy Fanning and daughter, Doris, of Maryville, Miss Mildred Fanning and Orville Fanning. Miss Bertha Fanning accompanied her sister, Mrs. Dale Goforth, and family, to Barnard for a few days' visit. Mrs. Vickers left for her home in Shenandoah last night.

**Entertain Lasher Club.**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finn entertained members of the Lasher Community Club and their families at their home Friday night. Pitch was played at eight tables and Victrola music was also enjoyed. At the close of the evening refreshments were served, Mrs. Finn being assisted by Mrs. Joe Everhart, Miss Hazel Mitchell and Dora Eleanor Masters. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ager and laughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Masters and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Job, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everhart and grandson, Joe Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Worl and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Job, Mr. and Mrs. John Stelter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Masters and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, Mrs. Helen Strauch, Misses Ella O'Grady, Lucile Masters, Hazel Mitchell, Dora Eleanor Mastors, and Howard Masters and Will O'Grady.

**Mrs. Bell Hostess to Club.**

Members of the Thursday Afternoon Progressive Club were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Bell. Besides the hostess, these members were present: Miss Ada L. Needles, Mrs. Will Strough, Mrs. C. N. Johnson, Mrs. M. P. Ross and Mrs. Harry Wamsley. Additional guests were Mrs. Harley Cokeley, Miss Lela Williams, Mrs. Wilbur Hubbard, Mrs. Earl Williamson, Mrs. Raymond Jones and Betty Lou Strough. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Will Strough. The club pledged $5.00 to the welfare board. In answer to roll call the members read newspaper clippings. In a Who's Who guessing contest the prizes were won by Mrs. Harry Wamsley and Mrs. M. P. Ross. The place of the next meeting was not decided upon.

**Young Ladies Sodality.**

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Mary's Church will hold its regular social meeting in the church basement at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present.

**Ladies Aid Meeting.**

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Church will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church.

**P. E. O. Meeting.**

A social meeting of Chapter L, P. E. O., was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Fannie Hope on West Second street, with Mrs. F. L. Garrett as assisting hostess. Somerset was the entertaining feature, the favor for high score going to Mrs. J. D. Richey. Refreshments were served at the close of the games. Mrs. Asa Willard of Missoula, Mont., Mrs. Bernhardt Bronson, Mrs. J. C. Godbey and Mrs. Cora Bell Clary were the guests of the afternoon. The members will entertain the B. I. L's at a Halloween party on the evening of October 31.

**Mrs. Braniger Hostess.**

Mrs. E. C. Braniger will entertain members of the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home on East First street tomorrow afternoon, complimenting her aunt, Mrs. Asa Willard of Missoula, Mont. The guests will include, in addition to club members and the honor guest, Mrs. Charles J. Koock of Oregon, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Watkins, Mrs. J. D. Richey and Mrs. Cora Bell Clary.

**Entertain at Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. King were hosts at a 1 o'clock dinner today at their home on West Third street. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Smith and son, Robert, Ross Silknitter, and John Silknitter, all of Centerville, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Thompson, Cleo Catherine, Carl, John and Forrest King, and the hosts.

**Sorority Line Party.**

A Dutch treat line party for members of Pi Epsilon Pi sorority will be given at the Empire Theater tonight. Following the show refreshments will be served at the Maryville Drug store, with Miss Marie Wright and Miss Virginia Robinson as hostesses. In addition to members, the group will include the three pledges, Miss Mayme Grems, Miss Martha Kennedy and Miss Norma Randall.

**Townsend Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Townsend had as their guests at a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday at Terrace Place, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Chamberlin of Albany, Mrs. Grace Snook, who returned to Maryville recently for a residence, Paul Connett of Cincinnati, O., and Mrs. Laveneour Michau.

**For Bride-Elect.**

Miss Mildred Shinabargar entertained with a four-table bridge party at her home on West First street this morning in compliment to Miss Alice Peery, who is to be married to J. Arthur Noid on October 24. The favor for high score was won by Mrs. Fred Wolfers. Assisting in entertaining were the mother of the hostess, Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. Sherman Montgomery and Mrs. H. D. Snyder. A two-course luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games.

**Birthday Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Fisher entertained with a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday to observe the sixty-eighth birthday of Mr. Fisher and in honor of their son and daughter, Omer Fisher and Miss Nelle Fisher of Los Angeles, Cal. A large birthday cake centered the table. Additional guests included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fisher and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fisher and daughter, Mrs. O. P. Fisher, Misses Jess, Ruth and Ada Fisher, Frank, William and Paul Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher and daughter, Roy Fisher, Miss Grace Fisher, and Mrs. Clifford Rice and daughter.

**Hosts at Dinner.**

Charles Jensen entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at his home on West Fifth street last evening when his guests included Anslem Schumacher, Fred Lewis and Miss Emily Martin.

**Beatrice Lemon Entertains.**

Beatrice Lemon entertained a few guests at her home, northwest of Maryville, Saturday afternoon. Those entertained were Eugenia Arnold, Helen Kramer and Jessie Snoderly.

**Hosts at Sunday Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ashford entertained the following guests at dinner yesterday: Mrs. Myra Langston, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burch of Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashford and Mrs. Orland Ashford of Quitman, Howard, Mildred, Denzil, Harold and Dwain Burch, Ruth, Doris, Ralph, Russell, Kenneth and Lester King, Helen Marjorie, Paul and Virginia Ashford, and Opal Ashford.

**Kroetch Dinner Guests.**

Fred Kroetch and his daughters, Misses Agatha and Louise Kroetch entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner yesterday. Their guests included Mrs. Jennie Kirch, Al Kirch and Mrs. Cogswell, all of Riverton, Wyo., A. I. Ritchlin of Elbon, N. Dak., Mr. and Mrs. August Stapler and daughter, Julia Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gross and Louis Weisenberger.

**Family Dinner.**

A family dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burris in Red Oak, Ia., yesterday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Babb of Columbus, Neb., and Mrs. Harry A. Burris and children, Evelyn May and Orville Lyle, of Aberdeen, S. Dak., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Babb, their daughters, Irene, Leta and Dorothy, and sons, Lester and Dale Babb, of Maryville, and Miss Mildred Burris of Red Oak.

## To Weigh Brains

This is Dr. Arthur MacDonald, of Washington, who wants to measure the heads of all congressmen. He has a theory that he can determine the weight of a man's brain by certain head measurements and he thinks congressmen will be ideal for his experiments.

## Not Engaged Now, But Wait—

Betty Bronson and Douglas Fairbanks Jr., youthful movie stars, have been kept busy recently denying Hollywood reports of their engagement. She says they're "too young to think of marriage," but he says he would like to marry a girl like Betty some day.

## Rousing Welcome for MacMillan Explorers

**Government Officials And Residents Of Maine Coastal Town Join In Reception To Returning Party.**

Wiscasset, Me., Oct. 12.—Residents of this little coast town and hundreds of visitors roared a homecoming welcome to Commander Donald B. MacMillan of his exploration party as the Aretic ships Bowdoin and Peary came into port today, concluding the last leg of their journey from the far north.

Governor Ralph O. Brewster, Representatives of Congress and the army and navy were among those on hand to bid MacMillan welcome.

## Col. Nicholas Bell Is Reported Improved

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—The condition of Col. Nicholas M. Bell, 83, ill at a hospital here following two major operations in three weeks, was reported improved today.

Colonel Bell, a veteran politician, and said to have made the speech before the Democratic national convention in New York City in 1868, which resulted in the nomination of Horatio Seymour.

## Charles Cook Case Up in Court Today

**Is Charged With Burglary and Larceny of Shores Bros., Garage at Quitman.**

The case of the State against Charles Cook on a charge of burglary and larceny started to trial today in circuit court. Cook is charged with stealing about $150 worth of tires and automobile accessories from the Shores Bros., garage in Quitman on April 24, 1925. Cook has served a term in the penitentiary, having been sent up from Holt County on May 23, 1923, when he pleaded guilty to stealing a motor vehicle.

The jury hearing the case is composed of C. C. Bears, Carl Birdsdell, Jake Burch, Edison Blagg, J. L. Teson, T. M. Cox, Roy Birkenholz, Joseph Horning, J. R. Gibbs, C. J. Merrigan, John Porter and D. N. Scott.

The case of the State against Burt Martin on a charge of sale of intoxicating liquor will be tried next.

## Railroad Ordered to Increase Its Fares

Washington, Oct. 12.—The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad was ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to increase passenger commutation fares in Illinois 20 per cent to remove discrimination against inter-state travel. The order is effective November 23.

## Ben F. Mehr Leaves for Oklahoma Post

**Manager Of Marland Co. Station Here Since February Is Transferred to Shawnee—Sturm Succeeds Him.**

Ben F. Mehr, manager of the Marland service station here since February, left Saturday afternoon for Shawnee, Okla., where he will be in charge of the service stations and bulk plants.

Mr. Mehr will be succeeded by Alfred Sturm of Maryville, who has already taken over the management of the local filling station.

Mr. Mehr came to Maryville from Walton, Okla., where he had been for six months on special duty for the Marland Co. Before becoming connected with the Marland organization, Mr. Mehr was an officer of the Milam Oil Co., producers and jobber of petroleum products.

About five months ago, Mr. Mehr gave a banquet at the First Christian Church for the members of the Men's Bible Class. This was the first banquet of its kind to be given members of the class.


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| Prunes, fresh pack, 50 to 60 size, lb | 15c | Brockfield Sausages links, 1 lb carton | 40c |
| Butter Nut Coffee, the coffee delicious, lb tins | 60c | Lamb Roast, cut from the shoulder, lb | 25c |
| Beans, Mexican Pinto, lb | 10c | Lamb Chops, by the pound | 35c |
| Rice, fancy head Rice, 2 lb cartons | 35c | Liverwurst, smoked, by the pound | 25c |
| Gloves, brown jersey, pair | 20c | Fresh Brains for Wednesday a. m., lb | 15c |
| Pickles, Heinz Sweet Mixed, pint | 30c | Pork Hearts for Wednesday a. m., lb | 10c |

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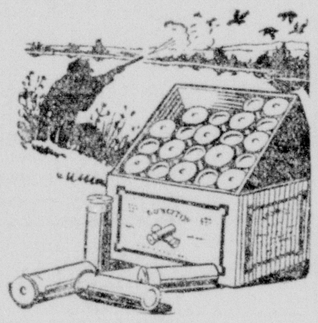

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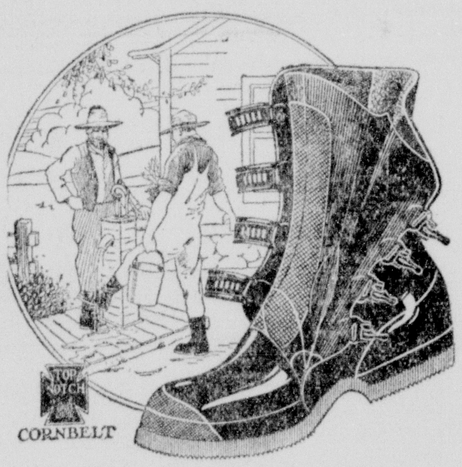


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# Personals

Mrs. David Wright of Bedford, Ia. visited in Maryville today.

James Sawyers of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

Miss Viola Brandt of Clearmont was a Maryville visitor Saturday.

Miss Jennie Williams of Lenox, Ia., spent the week end with Mrs. J. J. Heifner.

E. W. Johnson and daughter, Gracie Johnson visited yesterday at the home of J. W. Karr in Fillmore.

A. C. Thompson of Barnard suffered a stroke of paralysis last Wednesday. He is bedfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell and son, Roland, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller of Graham.

Mrs. Pete Jorgenson and daughters, Mrs. Charles Thompson and Mrs. M. V. Baker of Barnard were in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. Howard Kaufman and daughter, Glendora, of Burlington Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. James Cummings motored to Peru, Neb., yesterday, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Younger.

Mrs. J. B. Trullinger went to St. Joseph Saturday to visit her daughter, Miss Laura Mae Trullinger, who is attending the Nurses' Training school of the Missouri Methodist Hospital.

J. E. Dickson of Cedar Rapids, Ia., who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. Oren Lanning, for several weeks, went to Creston, Ia., Saturday to visit friends en route home.

Glen Guthrie returned Saturday night from Rochester, Minn., where he had been undergoing treatment at the Mayo clinic for a month.

Mrs. G. W. Chapman of Farragut, Ia., came Saturday night to spend Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Miller, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rilea and children, Lois and Junior, motored to Shenandoah, Ia., yesterday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nisson and family.

Mrs. D. L. W. Van Buskirk, who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Elta Sims, and her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sims, went to Kansas City this morning to join Mr. Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Allbee of Ridgeway motored to Maryville yesterday to spend the day with their daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Masters, and Mr. Masters.

### Helen Kathleen Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Graham, living near Ravenwood, announce the birth of a daughter at St. Francis Hospital last evening. The baby has been named Helen Kathleen.

### Minneapolis Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sprecher of Minneapolis, Minn., left yesterday for their home after a week's visit with the former's sisters, Mrs. Raleigh Souers and Mrs. Harry Harrison, and other relatives. They were accompanied home by Mr. Sprecher's father, Amos Sprecher, and his sister, Miss Eva Sprecher, for a several months' visit. Mr. Sprecher will also visit his old home at Mount Morris, Ill., before returning to Maryville.

### Suits Filed Saturday

The following suits were filed late Saturday in the circuit clerk's office:

J. O. Stafford vs. W. T. Aesdale, to set aside judgment.

J. O. Stafford vs. Aesdale & Monk, to set aside judgment.

Lettie M. Ware vs. Sidney E. Burdick, notes.

W. T. Aesdale vs. J. O. Stafford, order to send up transcript.

Aesdale & Monk vs. J. O. Stafford, order to send up transcript.

## Three Good Pictures at Empire This Week

A run of well known pictures is the offering of the Empire Theater this week. Beginning tonight with Corrinne Griffith's "De Classe," continuing with "Listen Lester" on Wednesday and Thursday and ending with F. E. Woods in "Chalk Marks" on Friday and Saturday, the program is of superior quanty.

"De Classe" was made famous as a play by Ethel Barrymore and its popularity has continued with the effort of Miss Griffith. The same may be said of "Listen Lester," that comedy which took New York by Storm several years ago, while "Chalk Marks," an unusual story of the crisis in two lives, should be a fitting picture for the teachers'-meeting crowds.

L. V. Cox was arrested last night by B. F. Dougan and Leo Atherton on a charge of speeding. His case will come up before Judge W. L. Johnson, police judge, late this afternoon.

## State Road Fight to Come to Head

**Supreme Court To Hear Application For Writ Of Mandamus Compelling Letting Of Contracts.**

Jefferson City, Oct. 12.—The state road fight in Callaway County will come to a head today when the Supreme Court hears application for a writ of mandamus compelling the state highway commission to award contracts for the thirty-three miles of road in question.

The writ is sought by the Davis Construction Co., of Boonville and the Des Moines Steel Co., of Des Moines, Ia., on the grounds they submitted the lowest bids for the work.

A decision by the Supreme Court in the matter must be given precedence over the temporary injunction restraining the awarding of contracts granted property owners along the present route of the road by Judge Westhues of the Cole County Circuit court.

### Married by Rev. Mitchell.

A marriage license was secured late Saturday afternoon by Roy Leland Arkle and Helen Roberta McGown, both of Bethany. They were married by the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rhodes spent yesterday with the former's mother Mrs. James Rhodes, at Ravenwood.

### Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, beginning Oct. 3.

M. A. W. Lodge No. 2434 to R. H. Smith, Part Lt. 4, Blk. 1, Burnetts add Quitman, $350.

J. O. Stafford to R. N. Barber, Part NW-26 Part 27, Part 34-62-37, $1.

N. Carter to Daniel Closz, Part SE-9, Part NE-16-65-37, $7,980.

G. L. Eckles to H. W. Farrar, Lt. 6 Itasca Park add to Maryville, $3,100.

S. A. Willard to E. T. Dale & wife, N½ Lts. 1 & 2, Blk. 3, Roseberry add Maryville, $1.

D. C. Joy to E. N. Joy, Lts. 4-5-6-7, Blk. 9, Ravenwood, $1.

H. W. Farrar to Fred Welling, Lt. 6, Itasca Park add, $1.

J. H. Sewell to G. S. Harman & wife, Lts. 5 & 6 Blk 20 Parnell, $1.

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Are you sure your defferential has grease there?
Are all of your tires full up with fresh air?

Is the speedometer working to tell me the speed?
Are all of the tools in the box we will need?

Are the chains in good order my pretty rose-bud?
So if it should rain I wont stick in the mud?

Does your car-bu-ra-tor need any adjusting?
Is there very much danger of anything busting?

Are you sure that your timer is properly timed?
Have all of the spark plugs lately been primed?

If you're sure all wires are tightly connected,
And everything else has been inspected,

And there's nothing else you think I should know,
I'll hop in the seat, and "we're rarin'" to go.

## AUNT HET

"Sometimes on blue days I just set an' look at Pa an' wonder if he knows how ugly he is."

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# CORN CROP IS 93% NORMAL

**OCTOBER REPORT SHOWS AN INCREASE OF 70 PER CENT**

## HAY CROP IS SHORT

**Milk Production Shows Heavy Decline From August, Reflecting Poor Pastures and Flies**

The farmers of Nodaway County put October prospects for local corn at 93 per cent of normal, compared to the six-year average October condition of 86 per cent. They report 72 per cent of 1925 wheat crop shipped out of the county, and quality of oats 89 per cent. Farmers estimate the 1925 potato crop at 54 per cent, and the 10 year average yield in this county is 86.6 bushels. Pasture prospects are 97 per cent; clover seed 71 per cent; and apples 51 per cent.

Missouri October corn at 79 per cent normal indicates a yield of 29.1 bushels per acre, totaling 200,306,000 bushels upon six million eight hundred ninety thousand acres this year. The total yield last year was 170,612,000 bushels from 6,562,000 acres. Missouri corn prospects lost only 1,984,000 bushels during September excepting that the excessive heat of the first ten days reduced the quality, with probably much more corn somewhat chaffy, according to the joint report of E. A. Logan of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and Jewell Mayes of the State Board of Agriculture. Very little corn is still immature, and frost damage (if any) will be small, as most of the crop is now well out of the way, cribbing beginning quite early. Farmers are feeding 1925 crop extensively. Recent rains and winds have seriously damaged shock corn.

Wheat seeding has been delayed by rains, also plowing and preparing land for wheat held up. Land plowed early is in good shape. Little seeding prior to October 1 had been done and in the southern counties the ground was too hard to plow during August and the first part of September. Sales of fertilizer tags have increased heavily over last year. Farmers have marketed 63 per cent of their 1925 wheat crop, and oats 91 per cent.

Hay crops are short a million tons from last year, yields per acre generally below last year, although quality is good in some counties. Soybeans promise a good crop, but difficulty has been experienced in harvesting. Cowpeas not so large yield as last year, but improved by late rains. Forage sorghums were benefitted by September rains in northern counties, but hurt in shock in southern sections.

Other October conditions are pastures 72 per cent, potatoes 56 per cent, clover seed 70 per cent, apples 46 per cent. The 6 year average October condition of corn is 77 per cent. The 10 year average potato yield is 78.3 bushels per acre.

Pastures have been greatly helped by recent rains, producing good late grazing. Livestock are not doing well. More stockers and feeders are going to Missouri farmers than one year ago.

Milk production shows heavy decline from August, reflecting poor pastures and bad infestations of flies. Egg production shows usual fall decline.

Rice in Henry, Lincoln and Stoddard counties shows good prospects, although a few crops were lost from lack of water.

Missouri cotton crop was considerably damaged by rains during the last half of September. Most of th crop is open, and pickers are badly needed, as planters could use twice the number now on hand for a short while.

Apples dropped badly the first days of September, and reduced the commercial crop in the southwest counties and elsewhere materially. Jonathans, Grimes, King David and other fall and early winter varieties were hard hit, as growers lost large portions of these kinds. The keeping quality of other varieties was lowered.

Farmers have been waiting for right conditions to seed fall wheat, with labor sufficient in all sections, excepting in the cotton counties.

### Mrs. Raymond D. Moore Dead

Word was received in Maryville this morning of the death of Mrs. Raymond D. Moore of Mitchell, S. Dak., formerly Miss Celia Long of Maryville. Her death occurred suddenly last night. Charles Moore and Mrs. Nettie Warren, brother and sister of Mr. Moore, will leave tonight for Mitchell to attend the funeral.

### Parent-Teacher Meeting.

The October meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held at 2:35 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the high school auditorium. The program on Nutrition will be in charge of Mrs. W. F. Chaves. There will be special music. A large attendance is desired.

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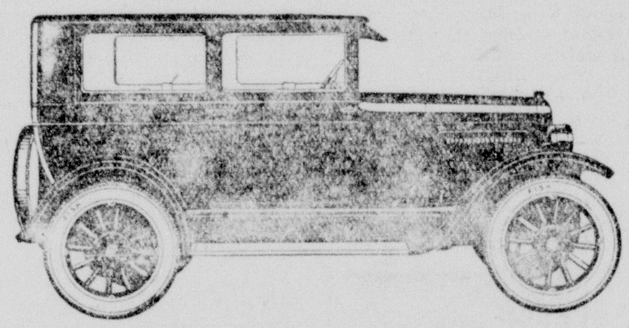

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# Too Much Efficiency

By E. J. Rath (W. J. Watt and Co.)

John W. Brooke, manufacturer of machine tools, drills, pumps, saws, files, and other matters of hardware, sat up straight in an uncompromising chair and watched the mysterious maneuvers of a small electric juggernaut. The juggernaut went its way along a narrow steel track, which turned corners not only sidewise but up and down. The track skirted the wall for the most part, but occasionally took a short jaunt across the ceiling. There was one point at which it disappeared from the room, through a hole in the wall.

The juggernaut had a habit of stopping at desks, dropping papers on them, picking other papers up, dropping the other papers somewhere else, and eternally going about its business in an awesomely silent and precise manner. It was mechanically uncanny.

"What the blazes is it?" demanded John W. Brooke.

President Sherwood, of the Economy and Efficiency Corporation, Limited, glanced up from his desk and smiled at the juggernaut, which at that instant vanished through its hole like a startled prairie dog.

"Office-boy," said Mr. Sherwood.

"New-fangled business, eh?" observed Mr. Brooke, staring in fascination at the hole in the wall.

"Oh, certainly."

"Bet it cost you a lot of money."

"One thousand, three hundred and twenty-six dollars and forty-eight cents," said Mr. Sherwood briskly, as he blotted a paper and placed it in the jaws of a steel contrivance, from which presently the office-boy removed it. "But for maintenance—well, between eight and nine cents a day. Does the work of three ordinary boys; never gets sick; never sasses the stenographer; never goes to a ball game; never went to its grandmother's funeral."

"Some boy," sighed Mr. Brooke, whose establishment knew none of its kind. Saves you something, I suppose?"

"Wouldn't have it if it didn't. Saved its cost of installation in a year and a half, and is now several hundred dollars ahead of the game. Never took a vacation yet, or asked for one. Saves time, money, and sorrow."

Mr. Brooke, who was also the president of a corporation, nodded his head solemnly, indicating that there was no use of arguing the matter.

"How much is my bill?" he asked.

"Twenty-two thousand dollars," replied Mr. Sherwood promptly. "Here it is."

"Ouch!"

"Ten per cent of what we've saved you on a year's operating cost. Is that much?"

"No-o; not when you look at it that way, I suppose."

"You admit the saving, don't you?"

"Got to."

Everybody in the hardware factory over which John W. Brooke presided had to admit it. The things that the Economy and Efficiency Corporation did to that establishment were amazing. The task had been one of several months in performance, and it had been thorough in results.

It did not always appear to be important—but it was. For instance, when the E. and E. folks discovered that one of Mr. Brooke's files, in the process of making, traveled 823 yards, passed through 12 machines, turned 78 corners, and consumed a total of 68 minutes to make the trip, they said, "All wrong." When they got through with that file it was a domesticated instrument. It traveled but 322 yards, went through only 7 machines, turned 27 corners, and did the whole journey in 31 minutes and 22 seconds. The file was just as good in every way as its slow-moving predecessor, for it sold for just as much money and it cost a cent and a half less. John W. Brooke made an appalling number of files.

What E. and E. did to the file it did to almost everything in the Brooke establishment except the office-boys; and Mr. Brooke was now seriously contemplating their downfall as he watched the silent electric youth remove a handful of letters from the desk of the brunette with the pink cheeks and convey them to the desk of Mr. Sherwood, with a directness and singleness of purpose that merited loud acclaim.

Mr. Brooke had been a doubter when the Economy and Efficiency folks, inspecting his imposing factory, nonchalantly offered to save him over two hundred thousand dollars a year. In fact, he had laughed scornfully.

He himself had builded the John W. Brooke Hardware and Machine Tool Company, and he thought he ought to know something about his infant industry. But when E. and E. got through Brooke admitted that he was wrong. His baby had ailments of which he never dreamed. The diagnosis made it appear to be a very sick child. He was worried about it.

In his anxiety to see his industrial offspring cured of its troubles and thereby assured of a green old age, Mr. Brooke permitted the E. and E. business surgeons to operate and medicate. Somehow they managed to do it without bringing about a strike, a fire, or an earthquake, to the end that John W. Brooke made more hardware and more money, without reducing the cost to the concern one red cent—which would have been impossible anyhow, because nobody ever saw a really red cent.

"I'm converted," admitted Mr. Brooke, as he examined the bill. "I've hit the trail. I'll have a check sent this afternoon. I didn't know you knew so much about the hardware business."

"Hardware!" echoed President Sherwood. "Man dear, we won't confine ourselves to hardware. It's our business to know all there is to know about any business, or if we don't know it to find it out. We haven't failed yet. I'll guarantee to take any old-fashioned business like yours, put it on its feet, and increase its earning capacity in a year."

Mr. Brooke winced at the description of his lusty infant, but made no comment.

"Why, do you realize what we saved the International people on lead pencils? We saved 'em two-fifths of a cent per gross in manufacturing cost!"

"Is that all?" ventured Mr. Brooke in a rash moment.

"All!" Mr. Sherwood's amazement was blazoned on his face. "All!" He choked for an instant. "Why, do you know what two-fifths of a cent a gross means to them?"

Mr. Brooke shook his head and awaited the worst with fortitude.

"Merely $68,682.45 a year!" said Mr. Sherwood, without even glancing at a memorandum.

"I'll take your word for it," murmured Mr. Brooke humbly. Then he brightened and there was a glimmer in his eye. "But I have an idea I can name one thing you can't reform."

"Name it!"

The hardware king challenged E. and E. potentate with a suspicion of malicious delight and paused in a tantalizing way.

"Give it a name!" demanded Mr. Sherwood impatiently.

"Did you ever try to reform the business of running an American household?"

The question was simple, direct, and apparently innocent, yet it had the effect of plunging the E. and E. president into profound thought; at first he was plainly astonished; then he became studious, preoccupied, and puzzled by turns.

And then, after a full minute of silence, his face lighted with an expression of bravado and defiance. He leaned forward in his chair, shot a glance of challenge into the eyes of the hardware magnate, pounded a fist on the desk, and registered enthusiasm.

"Easy!" he cried. "Easy as a soft hat!"

Mr. Brooke smiled benignantly and sympathetically.

"Ever do it?" he asked.

"No; but what difference does that make?"

"Married?" asked Mr. Brooke.

"No. But—"

"And yet you say you know everything about anything," interrupted Brooke in a tone of pity.

Next Chapter: Brooke is brought to terms.

"I have an idea I can name one thing you can't reform."

## State Health Poster Contest to Be Held

Conducted By Division of Child Hygiene In Connection With Annual Conference of Health Officers.

Announcement was made this morning by the Nodaway County Health Department of a state health poster contest to be conducted by the division of child hygiene in connection with the annual conference of the health officers and nurses of the state in Jefferson City next spring.

All pupils enrolled in grade schools of the state may compete in this contest, in which there will be two classes. The first is for pupils in and above the fifth grade and the second for those in and below the fourth grade.

Two exhibits will comprise each class. The first will be a complete set of seven health rules, each poster in the set to be of the same material and size. Each set must be made by one rural school, or room in a town school.

In the second class will be individual health posters, representing any one of the rules of the health game. The winning posters, together with the name of the schools, will be exhibited at the 1926 Missouri State Fair in Sedalia next August. No county may enter more than two individual posters in each class, nor more than one set of health rules in each class. In case more than one school in the county competes there will be an elimination contest held.

The posters will be judged for three points: whether the idea registers, originality of design and workmanship, and neatness and pleasing combination of colors.

A "healthometer" or classroom scales will be sent to the school sending in the best set of posters. Other prizes will be announced later.

The rules of the health game, as outlined today by Dr. C. P. Fryer, head of the county health department are:

A full bath once a week, brushing the teeth once a day, sleeping ten or twelve hours with the windows open, drinking as much milk as possible but neither coffee nor tea, eating some vegetable or fruit each day, drinking at least four glasses of water daily, and playing part of every day out of doors.

## Only Five Teachers Not in Association

Nodaway County Has Slightly More Than 98 Per Cent Enrolled—Daviess And Holt in Lead.

Only five teachers in Nodaway County are not enrolled in the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association, according to figures just compiled. The county has a ranking of slightly more than 98 per cent.

Holt and Daviess counties are in the lead with an enrollment of 100 per cent.

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, said this morning that he was disappointed that these five teachers in the county did not respond to the calls for enrollment in order that the county might have a 100 per cent record.

Two thousand three hundred and twenty-eight teachers are now enrolled in the district teachers association.

## Nats Lose More Than Game

The Washington Senators lost more than the game in the second contest of the world series. Oswee Bluege, their star third baseman, was knocked unconscious when one of Vic Aldridge's fast shots struck him on the head, and his return to the series is doubtful. In the photo above Bluege is shown on the ground with Umpire Owens, Catcher Smith of the Pirates and Joe Judge of the Senators lifting him from the ground. Peck of the Senators is standing by.

## Is Held for Death of St. Louis Man

Monroe, Mich., Oct. 12.—Mike O'Neal, 29, is held here for St. Louis authorities in connection with the murder of John Mastowski, shot to death in a St. Louis saloon, October 23, 1924.

O'Neil waived extradition. He was captured here on an automobile theft charge.

## Senator Ralsion Is in Serious Condition

Indiana Solon Has Been Ill At Home Most Of Time Since Return From Washington.

Indianapolis, Oct. 12.—The condition of Senator Samuel M. Ralston, ill of Bright's Disease, has taken a turn for the worse, it was learned today.

The Senator's condition is regarded as "very grave" according to sources close to members of his family.

Ralston has been ill most of the time since his return from Washington last spring.

## 361 Are Present at Baptist Sunday School

Rally Day Attendance is Largest Since September, 1916—Goal Set For Yesterday Is 383.

Three hundred and sixty-one persons were present at the Baptist Sunday school yesterday, the largest attendance since the last Sunday in September, 1916, when the Rev. L. M. Hale was pastor of the church.

The goal set for yesterday's rally day was 383. The total collection was $20.

Nearly every class in the school came up to its goal, some just having the exact number and others more. The Men's Bible Class had set a goal of forty, but the attendance was fifty-seven.

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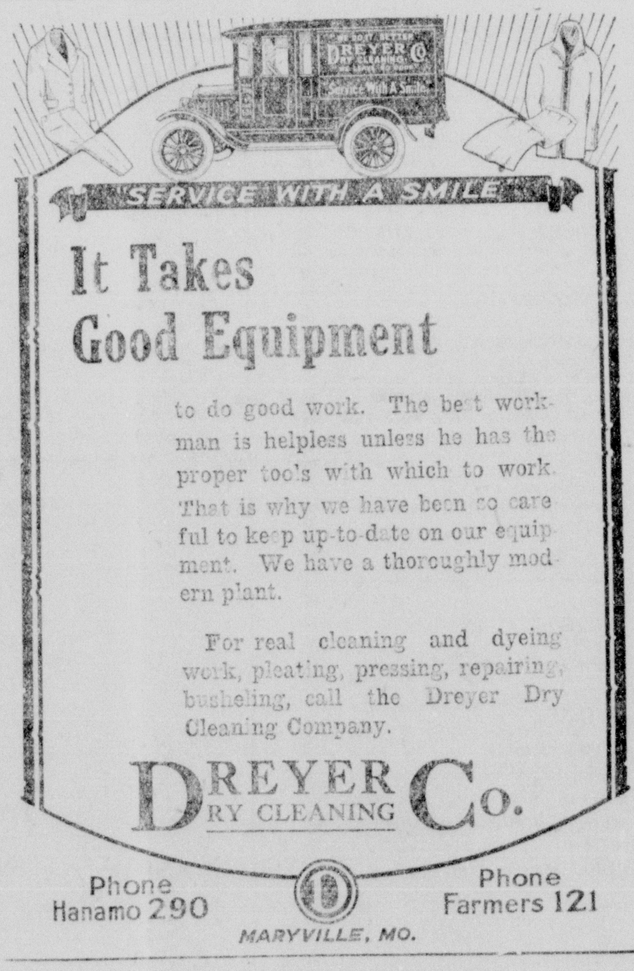
## New Sleeve

Behold here a new sleeve that Paris finds very interesting for a change. The upper part keeps to the narrow shoulder line that makes for slenderness, while the lower part is full and flowing and makes for becomingness. It is particularly lovely in velvet or satin.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The dividends which the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) returns to its 50,000 stockholders each year, are due not to some miracle of oil—something unearned and unstriven for—but to the efforts of men with trained minds, working within the Company organization; men who willingly and enthusiastically apply their intelligence without limit and without stint.

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**J. A. Johnson**

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## Should Chance Permit

By P. C. DUORIS

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NOW and then a spider or a great brown rat would break the silent monotony of the cell by scurrying across the stone floor, damp with moisture. Even this uncanny diversion was grateful to the two American officers who were quartered in what had been a Spanish prison and fortress, but which was now occupied by Filipino guerilla bands.

The elder of the two men, who lay stretched listlessly upon the damp stones, was a captain in the American army, while his companion was a young second lieutenant who had just been commissioned from West Point. Both of them had been captured the day before by what were supposed to have been friendly natives, and even now they were within easy sight of the American lines.

Neither the captain nor the lieutenant spoke much, for each one seemed to be wrapped in his own meditations. There was absolutely nothing for them to do but wait for a change, for the better or worse as the case might be. Suddenly both men raised their heads. Far down the stone corridors could be heard the steady tramp of a squad of soldiers as they approached nearer and nearer to the cell, situated, as it was, in the extreme left wing of the castle. The guard halted presently before the door.

The officer in command simply motioned the Americans to rise and fall into line. Then, without further words, they marched back through the dark, moist passages and up long winding stairways until they reached the apartments of the brigand chieftain.

Here was the man whose breathless cruelty had made his name a terror throughout the islands. He was speaking to one of his attendants, who immediately interpreted to the American officers: "The captain gives the noble senors the best greetings of the day and says that after he has provided the Americanos with a little entertainment, which he has prepared for them in the courtyard, he will be pleased to dine with the reverend senors."

The guard led them below into what was not a courtyard but an alleyway between two stone walls. The path between the walls was about four feet wide and a hundred feet in length. At one end of the passage was a large iron shield; at the other was the muzzle of a Spanish field piece, glistening in the sun's rays. The American officers needed no explanation from the interpreter, who told them that if they could cover the distance between the cannon and the shield before the time-fuse was burned, they might eat the elaborate dinner which his noble captain prepared. If they failed in swiftness, well—it would be better to imagine the result.

Above them there was a little platform, built out from the castle wall, upon which, still coolly smiling, sat the same treacherous black devil who had just invited them to dine with him. The blood of the fiery young lieutenant fairly boiled, but the older man was very calm; he knew that he would die in the attempt because he was too heavy to run fast, and therefore preferred to spend his last moments otherwise than in useless anger.

The interpreter bade them make ready, and informed the captain that as age should have precedence, he, the captain, should, therefore, make the first attempt. The brigands well knew that the captain could not run fast enough to escape the awful death awaiting him, and that the lieutenant would undoubtedly slip on the bloody pavement. The words of the two American officers were few. Imminent danger inspires a man's thoughts rather than his tongue. A hearty handshake, a word of encouragement and a parting farewell were all that passed between the two friends.

Everything was ready. The gunner had lighted the fuse and immediately the captain pushed from behind the shield. Seconds lengthened into hours. Suddenly there was a roar, and the grape-shot rattled against the protecting shield. Outside everything was covered with the remains of the brave captain; the walls were dripping with his life-blood. Above, the guerilla chief, in his white ducks, was still smiling and calmly smoking his dainty little cigarette. He was telling the interpreter that the captain was by far too fat and that he thought the lieutenant would make a much prettier race.

The gunner reloads his cannon and times the fuse. He lights it. The guards shove the lieutenant forward. Four months before he had run a race at West Point, but what a difference between the crowd of merry cadets with their waving banners and the stones, red with blood, over which he must now win the course or die! His feet slip on the pieces of mangled flesh. His muscles move, oh! so slowly. The fuse is burning and burning, its glowing end coming closer and closer to the priming in the vent. There is only a few feet between the runner and the black mouth of the cannon. There is but a fraction of the fuse remaining. One—two more strides, and he leaps high above the shining brass just as it belches forth its murderous flame.

Safe, but panting, he lights upon the parapet beside the amazed gunner. He does not trust the brigands further, nor does he wait to accept the chieftain's invitation to dinner, but continues his mad course till he reaches the safety of the American lines.

## "Feminine Bluebeard" Is a Most Daring Criminal

MRS. CLARA CARL

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 12.—Another chapter in a story of crime rivaling the famous "Bluebeard" murders in France has been written with the escape of a woman "lifer" from the Indiana women's prison.

Displaying the same clever criminal skill which police alleged caused her to murder two husbands and a father-in-law by slowly poisoning them to death, Mrs. Clara Carl escaped from the prison. So far no trace of her has been found. She is considered one of the most daring woman criminals in the country.

There is cool, calm and deliberate manner about Mrs. Carl. It was manifest when she was charged with the crimes three years ago, and again was shown when prison authorities after her escape found that for weks she had been planning her break for liberty.

**Feeding Chickens.**

So cleverly did she outwit the prison authorities that she took all belongings with her. Mrs. Carl had deceived the warden into believing that she could be trusted and she was assigned to feeding the chickens in the prison yard.

Just at dusk one evening, she climbed up on the chicken house, then on to the prison wall and dropped over on the outside.

Since murder charges were first preferred against her she has been known as "the feminine Bluebeard."

Her life story is a curious mixture of crime, love, happiness and tragedy.

She was the beautiful daughter of a farmer living near New Straitsville, O.

When a young girl she eloped with Robert Gibson, young son of a New Straitsville florist. They had been childhood sweethearts.

Robert and Clara appeared deeply in love. They went to Cleveland, where Gibson was a teacher. His wife was employd on a newspaper.

They conceived the idea of getting rich by going from town to town, writing and selling illustrated histories of various localities.

They went to Huntsville, Mo., where Gibson became suddenly ill. Doctors seemed unable to help him and he died within a short time.

A few months later Clara married Frank Carl at Seneca, Kas.

The couple went to New Philadelphia, Ind., and invited the husband's father, Alonzo Carl, 85, to live with them.

Again a mysterious malady afflicted Clara's husband. The father-in-law also became suddenly ill.

Frank Carl was a picture of health, and was noted for his powerful physique.

But within a month his strength left him so fast that he became a living skeleton.

**Bodies Exhumed.**

When both the husband and father-in-law died terrible deaths, the county prosecutor was deluged with letters demanding an investigation. Exhumation of their bodies revealed enough arsenic to "kill a dozen men," according to the prosecutor.

The trial in 1922 resulted in a second degre murder conviction and a life sentence.

Apparently the motive of the "feminine Bluebeard" was to obtain the petty fortunes of her two husbands.

She secured only $3000 after the death of her first husband and $2000 from Carl's insurance, making the crimes all the more amazing.

**JERRY SAYS:**

John was a boy his folks all admired.
They kept raising his wages where
he was hired,
Till John got the idea into his head,
if it wasn't for him the firm would
go dead,
And right then Johnny was fired.

WANT ADS PAY

## Excursion Toll Up to Fourteen Dead

**Three Other Persons Die During Night Following Disaster On Boat In Florida Waters.**

Melbourne, Fla., Oct. 12.—The death list in the Clara B. excursion boat disaster, twenty-two miles below here, today mounted to fourteen, three other persons having died during the night.

Most of the dead were western home-seekers from Kansas City and Wichita, Kan.

Ten persons who were swept from the deck of the Clara B when it capsized have been rescued, one of whim, Mrs. E. E. Ruckles of Wichita, Kan., is not expected to live.

According to the latest accounts, there were only twenty-four persons aboard the doomed vessel when she was turned over by the mountainous ocean breakers at Sebastian inlet.

Derricks were proceeding to Sebastian today to raise the craft if weather permits. Members of the coast guard were patrolling the shore for any bodies that might have been washed ashore today.

## Weeks' Resignation Is Expected Soon

**Secretary of War Clearing Up Desk At Department—Generally Believed Davis Will Succeed Him.**

Washington, Oct. 12.—The resignation of John W. Weeks as Secretary of War, long expected because of ill health, will be formally announced in a day or two, it was learned here today.

Secretary Weeks was clearing up his desk in the department today, the first time he has been there in months. It is generally expected that Dwight Davis will be named to succeed him.

**Warehime Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warehime entertained at a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home in Ravenwood for John Murrin and Dr. Iola Warehime of Maryville, Merlin, Donald, and George Warehime and Mrs. Henry Miller.

Used Furniture READ WANT ADS

## Streamers

A sport hat with streamers is something new in our lives. This one has the fashionable square crown and is made of tan felt. Tan, brown, and black grosgrain ribbons encircle the crown and fall from the right side.

Just Arrived—Car No. 2 Illinois nut; plenty Franklin County lump, egg or nut; car Wyoming lump arrives soon. William Everhart. Advertisement.

## Miss Rogers Gained 15 Pounds In Six Weeks

**Skinny Men and Women Gain 5 Pounds in 30 Days or Money Back**

My dear Friends:

After my attack of Flu I was thin, rundown and weak. I had a sallow complexion, my cheeks were sunk in and I was continually troubled with gas on my stomach. I felt stuffy and had lost my appetite. I had read about McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets and decided to give them a trial. At once, I began to pick up an appetite, my cheeks filled out and my complexion became healthy looking and I gained 15 pounds in six weeks and am very thankful for what McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets did for me.

Miss Alberta Rogers, 264 W. Cerro Gorda St., Decatur, Ill.

To take on weight, grow strong and vigorous, to fill out the hollows in cheeks and neck, try McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets for 30 days. 60 Tablets—60 cents—at Maryville Drug Company and Gaugh & Evans and druggists everywhere. If they don't give you wonderful help in 30 days, get your money back—you be the judge. But be sure and ask for McCoy's, the original and genuine.—Adv.


## CARVER'S SALE

**Big Type Poland-China Hogs and Registered Scotch Short Horn Cattle**

**Tuesday, October 20, 1925**

at Evergreen Stock Farm, 1 mile northeast of Guilford, Mo. 25 Spring Boars ready for service—25. 12 spring gilts and 3 sows with litter at side by Miller Jones 2nd. Spring offering sired by Miller Jones 2nd, son of Miller's Queen 3rd. Bred by John Miller, Rock Valley, Iowa. One litter by Gypsy King, Grand Champion boar at Sedalia and Topeka in 1924. One litter by Rose's Kind, the senior pig successfully shown by Forest Rose 1924. One Expansion litter by Smooth Jumbo.

**CATTLE**—1 extra good roan cow 6 years old, roan bull calf at side by Village Cumberland by Village Supreme, and bred by Bellows Brothers. One good red cow 6 years old, red calf at side by Village Cumberland. Two yearling roan heifers, large ones. The cows and largest heifer are bred to Village Cumberland. Cows trace to Imported Wood Violet and Imported Ruby Lass. Amos Cruickshank's breeding.

TERMS—Cash or 6 months on bankable paper at 8 per cent. Crates for shipping only.

**E. E. CARVER.**

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Col. W. D. Gibson, Auctioneers.
Bank of Guilford, Clerk.



# Romance

You often hear people refer to the "dear old days of romance"—to the time when knight-errants roamed the earth to do honor to a lady's blue eyes.

These folks say we are living in an age of realism!

An age of "realism" where the human voice is hurled across the world without wires; where the temperature of Mars is taken more than thirty millions of miles away; where tons of steel and people ride easily and safely through the air or under the sea!

An age of realism! Why, this is the most romantic of all ages!

The advertising columns of this paper are full of romance—of the romance of men who have devoted their lives to bringing new comforts, conveniences and pleasures for mankind.

Advertisements tell these stories, not with the romantic exaggeration of a jongleur, but with the calm, simple words of sincerity. Here is a firm that spent millions to develop a product that makes your baby comfortable. Here is a company that has labored fifty years to cut a single hour of toil from your day's work. Here is a man who has searched the Seven Seas to produce a new flavor for your dinner.

Romance—this age is full of it. Not just empty romance, but the true romance of achievement, of progress, of the betterment of mankind.

**Advertisements tell you what the romance of business is doing for you. Read them.**

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

# WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

TELEPHONE: HANAMO 42; FARMERS 114

Telephone your Want Ads to The Democrat-Forum and Tribune, when it is more convenient to do so, and collector will call within a day or two after the ad is printed. This is an accommodation service rendered our Want Ad patrons and payment should be made promptly on first presentation of bill.

RATES

Per word, single insertion..... 2c
Minimum cost, 1 insertion.....25c

| Words | 1 day | 2 days | 3 days |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 25c | 37c | 49c |
| 13 | 26c | 39c | 52c |
| 14 | 28c | 42c | 56c |
| 15 | 30c | 54c | 60c |
| 16 | 32c | 48c | 64c |
| 17 | 34c | 51c | 68c |
| 18 | 36c | 54c | 72c |
| 19 | 38c | 57c | 76c |
| 20 | 40c | 60c | 80c |
| 25 | 50c | 75c | $1.00 |

By the week, min. 15 words, per word ..... 6c
By the month, min. 17 words, per word ..... 20c

RULES

All want ads must be in by 12:30 o'clock on day of insertion.

Count the words of your ad, including the one or two words necessary for the indexing of your ad, and count each initial and each number or combination of figures as one word.

Misclassification is not permitted.

All advertisements are subject to the publisher's approval.

Always ask that your telephone ad be read back to you by the want ad taker to make sure that it has been taken correctly.

Want ad users should read their advertisements when they first appear and report any errors at once, as no allowance will be made for errors or misclassifications after the first day.

All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address
The Advertising Department,
The Democrat-Forum and Tribune
Maryville, Missouri.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS—1

J. B. Cummins. Roland Wray
Cummins & Wray Furniture
CUMMINS & WRAY
Funeral Service
Telephones:
Hanamo 152. Farmers 81

MONUMENTS—2

*Mark every grave*
with a
MEMORIAL
MARYVILLE GRANITE WORKS
"We have no Agents."

PROFESSIONAL

When in need of a Veterinary call
**R.L. Wohlford**
**Veterinarian**
Maryville, Mo.
Calls answered promptly Day or Night—Hanamo 470—Farmers 160-11.

**Dr. K. Sears**
Veterinarian
Calls answered promptly day or night.
Hanamo 740-265 Farmers 97-97½

ANNOUNCEMENTS—4

NOTICE
Positively no hunting or tresspassing on my farm.—Levi Wallace.

**Notice**

Free Postmortum examination on hogs, sheep and chickens when brought to my office.

Before you worm or vaccinate your hogs call and see me, I can save you money.

**Dr. K. Sears**
Farmers 97-97½ Hanamo 740-265.

**Announcement**

We have secured the service of an expert mechanic. He has had experience with Hudson and Essex in particular, and in a general way with nearly every make. We guarantee his work on all makes of cars.
HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson-Essex Sales and Service

ANNOUNCEMENT—4

OWENS CHAPTER NO. 96 R. A. M. Regular convocation tonight at 7:30. Conferring of R. A. degree.
J. Stark, H. P.
Ed. Hamlin, Sec.

NOTICE—Positively no hunting or trespassing on H. T. Coulter farms.—Harry Coulter.

LOST—5

LOST—License No. 161-876.—Return to this office.

LOST—Carved white charm ivory, about size half-dollar. Sunday from 316 south Main to M. E. Church.—Return to this office.

LOST—Leather bill fold containing $12 to $13 with name card. Lawrence E. Murrin. Finder return to this office.—Reward.

LOST—Pair shell rimmed glasses in black leather case. West 7th or in College.—Mrs. J. J. Heiffner.

LOST—$5.00 bill between Frost's and this office.—Return to this office.

HELP WANTED—7

HELP WANTED — Salesmen Auto Accident and limited policies at $5, $10 and $15 annually. Also monthly payment full coverage policies with Natural Death Benefit. Liberal commission; full or part time. National Accident Society 320 Broadway, New York City.

WANTED—Girl at Candy Kitchen.—Hanamo 164. Farmers 167.

AUTOS, MOTORS, ETC.—9

**Better Used Cars**

Our prices must be right as we only have a few left.
1—1921 Reo Touring, new paint & tires
1—1919 Special Six Touring, new paint
1—1919 Big Six Touring, six good tires
1—1918 Buick-4, new tires, a good one
1—1919 Oakland Touring, a good one
RABORN-McCOMB MOTOR CO.
Lowry Hardware Building
Cash—Terms—Trade
Phones
Hanamo 64 Farmers 175

**Hudson Essex**
1923 Dodge Roadster
1920—Essex Touring.
1921—Overland Touring.
HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson Sales and Service
Kramer Garage.

**Used Cars**

1923 Buick-6 touring, extra good. Buick-4 touring, good condition. One Old Ford at a bargain.
GEORGE McMURRY
Buick Sales and Service

**GUARANTEED FORD USED Cars**

1—1924 Touring.
2—1923 Tourings.
2—1922 Tourings.
1—1923 Runabout.
1—1923 Four Door Sedan.
BARMANN AUTO CO.
Maryville's Ford Agent for the Past 17½ years.

**Outstanding Used Car Values**

One Overland-Six, five passenger.
One Ford Sedan.
One Ford Touring.
One Buick-Six, five passenger.
One Overland-four, Touring.
One Ford Roadster.
Three Used Trucks.
SEWELL AUTO COMPANY.

DEPENDABLE USED CARS
1922—Light-6 Studebaker Sedan.
1920—Big-6 Studebaker Touring.
1919—Special-6 Studebaker Touring.
1921—Hupmobile Touring.
1918—Buick-4.
ARNOLD-STRONG MOTOR CO.
Dodge Brothers
Sales and Service

FOR SALE—1920 Buick-six, worth the money. 120 acre farm on cousrete road. If you want either get busy.—See or address, W. R. Logan, Skidmore.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO TRADE FOR CALIFORNIA PROPERTY

FOR EXCHANGE—We have a client owning several pieces of high-class ranch and income property in beautiful California, who desires to exchange same for property in the locality of Maryville, Missouri, for personal reasons. In answering this ad give full information in first letter as to locality, price, pictures of place, description and other data that will enable us to submit your property in an intelligent manner to our client.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, Inc.
Realtors, Suite 1011-15-19-23,
Pacific Southwest Building,
Long Beach, California.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS—11

FOR SALE—Buff Orphington cockerels, $1.50 each.—Mrs. Ed Schooler, Farmers 2814.

FOR SALE—Ben Davis apples at orchard, 50c and $1.00 per bushel. Karl Zimmerman, Farmers 8-17.

FOR SALE—Choice pie pumpkins and Cushaw squashes.—Call Farmers 14-23.

FOR SALE—12x24 hen house with brooder room enclosed; practically new. Also Great Western Cream separator. Don R. Turnbull, Hanamo 4235.

FOR SALE—Handpicked five varieties of apples. Call Farmers 8-13.—John K. Sawvers.

FOR SALE—Sweet cider, 20c gallon Robert McGinness.—Bedison.

FOR SALE—Automobile, dress and light weight overcoats.—416 West Thompson.

FOR SALE—Buff Orphington cockerels. Mrs. Frank T. Hall.—Farmers 5-14.

FOR SALE—Buff Rock cockerels, March hatch, extra fine. $2.50 each. Mrs. Martin Asbell, Burlington Junction Route 2.

FOR SALE—Early pure bred single comb, R. I. Red pullets. $1.25 each. Mrs. Will Wells, Farmers 28-12.

**Bulova Wrist Watches**
Raines & Chavis

FOR SALE—Rose Comb R. I. Red cockerels. Harrison strain, $2.00.—Mrs. M. A. Sewell, Skidmore.

FOR SALE—Jersey cows, three male lambs, feed steer.—Ery Bosch, Pickering.

FOR SALE—No. 15 DeLaval Cream Separator, 50 feet canvas, 8 inch endless 4-ply engine belt, almost new, saddle.—Call Farmers 117-13.

FOR SALE—King Bee Heater; 16 inch, used two winters.—Wilson Nicholas.

FOR SALE—Few registered shropshire ewes, $15 to $20. Also some show ewes, $40 and up. Guy D. Aley.—Farmers 22-19.

FOR SALE—Wood, cut in stove length. Any kind. H. A. Coulter.—Bedison phone.

FOR SALE—or trade, cheap, Ford Car and a wagon. Elmer Luther.—Arkoe phone.

FOR SALE—White leghorn hens, young, well selected; cheap if take soon. Mrs. Claude Moore.—Farmers 44-19.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS—12

WANTED—Second hand belt pulley for Fordson.—Clarence Swan.—Phone 1302, Barnard.

TO RENT—RESIDENCES—13

**For Rent**
Two Ideal Apartments
5 and 6 rooms each.
Possession now.
CHAS. HYSLOP.

FOR RENT—7 room modern house and two lots. Mrs. E. J. Williams Hanamo 227.

TO RENT—RESIDENCES—13

FOR RENT—6 room house, close in; modern except heat.—Farmers Trust Co.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED apartment for light housekeeping, modern.—Hanamo 3445.

FOR RENT—3 desirable light housekeeping rooms, good location.—[illegible] West 2nd.

FOR RENT—6 room modern house on Normal Avenue. See J. T. Hays, 405 West 12th street.

FOR RENT—Two desirable rooms for light housekeeping, heat and lights furnished or unfurnished.—Inquire 309 W. 4th.

FOR RENT—Garage at 102 North Buchanan.—Ed Brewer.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—14

**Used Stoves**
Coal or Wood heaters and ranges.
CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE.

COAL, FEED, ETC.—16

**COAL**
Cars Wyoming lump, best Franklin County lump, egg or nut, No. 2 Illinois nut, arriving daily.
WM. EVERHART
Coal—Ice—Wood—Feed

**Shoemaker-Bovard**
Transfer, Storage, Coal and Sand.
WE SOLICIT YOUR INQUIRY.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE—17

FOR EXCHANGE.
320 acres Montana Clear Wheat land for 80 to 120 acres near Maryville. Good high class residence, all modern, on paved street, 3 blocks from square. Bargain for cash, no trades.
C. D. ALLEN
119 East Fourth

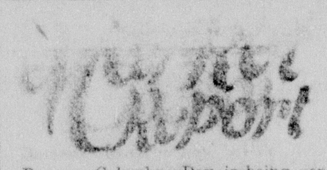
**Allen Brothers**
REAL ESTATE, LOANS
AND INVESTMENTS

FOR SALE—or trade, half section well improved land in corn and bean belt. Chance of oil. No incumberances. Owner, Ernest Jones, Forder, Colo.

STOVES, FURNACE REPAIRING—19

**Repair Now**
Faulty smoke pipes are the source of a great many fires during winter time. Have yours inspected and repaired by men who know their business.
HEIDEMAN & LEET.
Sheet and Metal Works.

READ THE WANT ADS



Because Columbus Day is being generally observed at the livestock markets today, only a few reports are available.

**ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK**

Hogs

Receipts 2,500; market steady to 25c lower.
Top, $11.80; bulk, $11.25 to $11.65.

Cattle

Receipts 9,000; market steady to 25c lower.
Bulk of steers, $6.50 to $12.75.
Cows and heifers, $3 to $9.50.
Calves, $4.50 to $12.
Stockers and feeders, $5.25 to $8.25.

Sheep

Receipts 9,000; market slow.
Lambs, $14.50 to $15.65.
Ewes, $6.25 to $8.

**EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK**

Cattle

Receipts 9,000; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 12,000; market steady to 10c higher.

Sheep

Receipts 4,000; market about steady.

**KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK**

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market 10c to 15c lower.
Bulk, $11.40 to $11.80.
Heavies, $11.55 to $11.80.
Butchers, $11.50 to $11.85.
Lights, $11.65 to $11.90.
Pigs, $11.75 to $12.25.

Cattle

Receipts 43,000; market weak to 25c lower.
Prime fed steers, $12.75 to $15.
Dressed beef steers, $7.25 to $12.75.
Western steers, $6.85 to $11.75.
Southern steers, $4.70 to $9.25.
Cows, $2.65 to $7.75.
Heifers, $4.25 to $12.
Stockers and feeders, $4.50 to $9.50.
Bulls, $3.50 to $8.50.
Calves, $5 to $12.

Sheep

Receipts 13,000; market steady.
Spring lambs, $14 to $15.75.
Yearlings, $8.50 to $12.50.
Ewes, $5.75 to $8.
Wethers, $7.50 to $9.75.
Stockers and feeders, $13.75 to $15.25.

**OMAHA LIVESTOCK**

Cattle

Receipts 22,000; market slow to steady.

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market 15c to 35c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 17,000; market dull to weak.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK**

Hogs

Receipts 36,000; market steady.

Cattle

Receipts 31,000; market steady to slow.

Sheep

Receipts 32,000; market slow.

**LOCAL MARKETS**

| | |
|---|---|
| Springs, per lb. | 15c |
| Eggs, per doz. | 32c |
| Cream, per lb. | 43c |
| Heavy Hens | 18c |
| Leghorn springs per lb | 12c |
| Cocks, per lb | 7c |
| Ducks, per lb | 10c |
| Light hens, per lb | 14c |
| Geese, per lb | 7c |
| Hides per lb | 7c |

## Judge Dawson Will Address Club Oct. 22

Judge John M. Dawson will give an address on "The Problem of Crime," October 22, at the next meeting of the Social Science Club of the State Teachers College.

Desiring to encourage student research work, the Social Science Club is offering $50 in prizes to the three students doing the most constructive research work in the social science field.

## Former Resident Here Dies in Denver, Colo.

Funeral For Mrs. Joy Pierce Bridger Conducted In Tarkio This Afternoon.

Mrs. Joy Pierce Bridger, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierce, former residents of Maryville, died last Thursday at Denver, Colo., where she had been several years for the benefit of her health. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Tarkio, the Rev. H. MacNamee officiating. Burial was in the Tarkio cemetery.

Mrs. Bridger's death was due to tuberculosis which developed after an illness of influenza several years ago. She was 34 years old. Besides her parents, she leaves her husband, L. J. Bridger, a sister, Mrs. May Schamman of Rock Port, and one brother, John Pierce. Dr. Pierce is a former presiding elder of the Maryville district of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He is now engaged in field work.

### J. H. Knox Undergoes Operation

J. H. Knox of the Fullerton Lumber Company underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Francis Hospital this morning. His condition was reported satisfactory.

## Miss Mabel Marr Is Awarded An Emblem

Is Honored For Her Work As Typewriting Instructor At Maryville High School—Presented Today

Miss Mable Marr of the Commerce Department of the Maryville High School has been bestowed an honor unusual, with the presentation this afternoon by L. L. St. Clair of an Expert Teachers' Pearl Medal Emblem given by the Underwood Typewriting Company of New York City to instructors of high ranking. The emblem was awarded at the weekly faculty meeting of the school.

The letter from M. S. McSimmons, Manager of the School Department of the Company is as follows:

"Dear Mr. St. Clair:

"Under date of April 21, 1925 we forwarded expert Teachers' Bronze, Silver and Gold Medal Emblems for Miss Mable Marr, in recognition of her excellent work in typewriting.

"We wish to advise that she has recently forwarded test papers for one of her students qualifying for the Pearl Medal Emblem, which is awarded at seventy net words a minute. We therefore, take pleasure in enclosing an Expert Teachers' Pearl Medal Emblem to be presented to Miss Marr with our compliments.

"Miss Marr is to be congratulated on the excellent results she has obtained in the Course of Better Typewriting.

"Very truly yours,
"M. S. McSimmons,
"Manager School Department."

## Urges More Expansion of Red Cross Work

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—An appeal for the further expansion of its peacetime organization was sounded today at the opening of the fifth annual convention of the American Red Cross here.

John Barton Payne, chairman of the central committee of the organization, made the appeal in an opening address.

Samuel Knight of San Francisco was elected chairman of the convention.

## Berg Calf Was Not Shown in Exhibits

The calf owned by Maurice Berg, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Berg, recently sold to the Sears-Roebuck Foundation, has never been shown in any exhibit of any kind, Mr. Berg said this morning.

## Farm Economics

Written by S. D. Gromer Associate Professor of Rural Economics, Missouri College of Agriculture.

WHAT TO PRODUCE.

The following table shows the relative purchasing power of thirteen of the leading products of Missouri. That is, the power in exchange of each in comparison with the average power of exchange of the entire thirteen. To give a concrete illustration, the table should be interpreted to mean that the relative power of hogs to command other goods in exchange was 17 per cent greater than the average of the entire thirteen in August 1925 and September 1925, but 3 per cent less in September 1924; and that horses had only 29 per cent of purchasing power in September 1925 compared to the average purchasing power of all of the thirteen products. In other words, this table shows which product will buy more or less compared to what the average of the thirteen products will buy.

Purchasing Power of Missouri Farm Products.

| | Sept. 1924 | Aug. 1925 | Sept. 1925 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hogs | 97 | 117 | 117 |
| Cattle | 90 | 91 | 90 |
| Sheep | 112 | 107 | 110 |
| Calves | 99 | 85 | 92 |
| Corn | 142 | 113 | 105 |
| Wheat | 109 | 113 | 115 |
| Oats | 110 | 75 | 76 |
| Eggs | 134 | 96 | 98 |
| Butterfat | 106 | 109 | 115 |
| Poultry | 141 | 122 | 126 |
| Apples | 80 | 87 | 82 |
| Hay | 70 | 78 | 80 |
| Horses | 40 | 29 | 29 |

These index numbers will help to guide in an appreciable manner those farmers who decide their production program as a study of the relative profitableness of the thirteen most important of Missouri farm products.

A word of caution, however, is necessary. Hogs, for example, may be at or near the high point of the cycle of hog prices at the same time that horses are at the low point. So that the price tendency may be toward lower prices for hogs and higher prices for horses. The direction of the trend and the present relative prices of the products being considered together with the facilities for producing each on one's farm should be carefully studied in order to determine what course to pursue in the matter. That is, which one can produce to the best advantage. Information regarding the trend of prices of various Missouri farm products will be published from time to time.

## Ambitious

Virginia Boquet, 16-year-old girl of Quincy, Ill., is determined to do what no other woman has done—swim the English channel. Only recently she swam 23 miles in the Mississippi river and can now swim 16 hours without resting. She will train for her big task by swimming in the wake of river steamers, as the waves made by the stern-wheelers are said to be similar to those of the channel.

## 'Member Him?

Enthusiasts who know their football will recall Wilbur "Fat" Henry as an All America lineman while at Washington and Jefferson. That was a few years back. Well, here's how he looks today in the uniform of the Canton Bulldogs, one of the best professional elevens in the country. The big boy is reputed to be as good as ever, too.

*LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Teasin'*

SO THE COUNT'S FOUND OUT WE WERE KIDDIN' HIM WITH THOSE PHONEY PAPERS EH ?
HI DON'T KNOW SIR IF 'E KNOWS YOU WERE SPOOFIN' HIM BUT HI HASSURE YOU HE WAS HINFORMED YESTERDAY THAT THE PAPERS WERE FALSE - 'E WAS FURIOUS-
FURIOUS - I'LL BET HE WAS - HE MUST BE FEELING PRETTY LOW AFTER THE JOLT HE GOT SATURDAY - I'LL JUST GO IN AND KID HIM ALONG A LITTLE-
'SMATTER, COUNT, OLD KID ? WAS THE LITTLE PEA UNDER THE WRONG SHELL ? WHAT'S BITIN' YOU ? YOU ACT LIKE YOU'D HEARD BAD NEWS-
OH, EVERYTHING IS QUITE ALL RIGHT - MERELY A BIT INDISPOSED - THE WEATHER I PRESUME -
THE TACTLESS BOOR - HE APPEARS TO KNOW MY EVERY MOVE - AND NOW HE HAS THE AUDACITY TO TAUNT ME - HE IS THE ONE OBSTACLE IN MY PATH - WITH HIM REMOVED NOTHING COULD STOP ME - IN TEN YEARS I COULD CONTROL THE COMMERCE OF THE WORLD - DANGEROUS - WAIT MY BUT HE IS I MUST CHANCE -
HAROLD GRAY
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# MORE BIRTHS THAN DEATHS

RATIO ABOUT 3 TO 1 DURING SEPTEMBER.

## SCHOOLS BETTER NOW

Number Of Improvements Are Made, According To Monthly Report Of Nodaway County Health Department.

There were fifty-one births and eighteen deaths in Nodaway County in September, according to the monthly report of the Nodaway County Health Department. This is a ratio of almost 3 to 1. In September last year there were sixty-two births and twenty-one deaths in the county, which is slightly better than this year.

Two cases of scarlet fever, two of diphtheria and one of infantile paralysis were reported to the department last month. In September, 1924, seven cases of contagious disease were recorded.

Physical examination for school children has been one of the most important activities of the health department since the beginning of school. This work is to continue, according to Dr. C. P. Fryer, head of the department, and it is the intention of the department to examine all beginning pupils during the school year.

Twenty-one children had their tonsils and adenoids removed at the free health clinic held at the St. Francis hospital during the month.

The total number of school children examined during the month was 200. Of this number, 166 were found defective, and the defects found numbered 359. Twelve school children and twenty-five adults visited the health department during the month.

Thirty persons attended the two classes in modified home nursing held by the department during September.

According to Dr. Fryer, there has been a great improvement in the school buildings of the county. Cross lights have been eliminated in many schools to meet the requirements and several new heating and ventilating plants have been installed. In several instances buildings have been repainted, interiors redecorated, and new seats installed.

"The decrease in the number of communicable diseases in the school children of the county is gratifying," Dr. Fryer said. "This apparently is the result of health education."

The worst condition in school children, according to the report, is bad throats. Out of the 198 pupils examined, 65 per cent had throat trouble of some sort.

Bad roads during the month made it possible to visit but seventeen rural schools. When officers of the department were unable to be out in the country, they spent the time revising the office records.

## Will Observe Canned Food Week Here

Local Committee With F. M. Townsend as Chairman in Charge—Will Be Held In November.

With the naming of F. M. Townsend as chairman of the local committee that will have charge of the observance of Canned Foods Week in November, the wholesale and retail food distributors of Maryville have joined in a movement that has for its purpose the dissemination of a better knowledge of the methods and products of one of the country's most important industries. How widespread is the movement is indicated by the fact that Canned Foods Week will this year be observed in practically every city of over 10,000 population, as well as in hundreds of smaller communities.

The growth of the canning industry has been really phenomenal. Since 1889 the number of canneries has increased 150 per cent, and this does not nearly indicate the actual growth, because the capacity of the canneries has grown still faster. This is shown by the fact that the value of the industry's output has increased from about $50,000,000 in 1889 to over $800,000,000 at the present time. Capital invested in the canning industry was $25,000,000 in 1889, as reported by the census, while at present it is estimated at $300,000,000.

Canned Foods Week is sponsored by seven associations, including the National Wholesale Grocers Association, American Wholesale Grocers Association, National Food Brokers Association, National Association of Retail Grocers, National Chain Store Grocers Association, Canning Machinery and Supplies Association, and the National Canners Association.

The local committee in charge of observance of the Week includes: C. F. Remus, Charles J. Buhler, and B. D. Null.

## Community Meeting at Bell Grove School

About Forty-Five Patrons Attend—Short Program is Given by Pupils—Lunch Served

The Bell Grove School, which was recently added to the list of first class schools of Nodaway County, held its first community meeting Friday night October 8. About forty-five patrons attended. A short program was given by the pupils after which a social hour was enjoyed and lunch was served the ladies. Helen Joy Bolin is the teacher.

The program given was as follows:

Song—school.

An Introduction—Gertrude Mires.

Grandpa's Spectacles—George Nielsen.

Recitation—Paul Edward Mies.

The Deaf Grandma — Charlene Mires, Nina, Thelma and Chester Kime.

A Boy's Troubles—Lawrence Jackson.

I'm Small, But I'm Spunky—Jimmie Nielsen.

At the Dentist—Nina Kime.

Taking the Census—Gertrude Mires and Theodore Daugherty.

Boy's Rights—Chester Kime.

The Evening Visit — Theodore Daugherty, George Nielsen, Lawrence Jackson and Donald Maffit.

An Evening on the Train—Thelma Kime.

I'm in Such Trouble—Donald Maffit.

## Gives Address to Teachers at Troy

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, addressed a teachers meeting at Troy, Kan., Saturday on "The Teaching of Reading." Mr. Somerville explained the reading experiments being carried on here. He discussed some common defects in reading and what is being done to remedy them. An effort is being made to improve the quality of the reading, Mr. Somerville told the teachers.


## ELECTRIC THEATRE

Matinee at 3:00. Night 7:30 and 9:00.
Admission 10c and 30c

TONIGHT and TOMORROW

The Famous Pendleton Round-Up of 1924!

Packed with thrills, bucking broncos and two-fisted men contained in the rodeo from start to finish.

Will Sweep You Off Your Feet!

If you want to see real Bronche-Busting, real Bulldogging, real Bareback Riding, real Deadwood Coach riding, real Indians, don't fail to see

HOOT GIBSON

in his greatest picture made during the sensational "Round-Up" of 1924 in Pendleton, Ore.

"Let'er Buck"

Ably supported by Josie Sedgwick, Charles K. French, Marion Nixon, William Steele and fifty thousand spectators.

Also a comedy.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, October 14 and 15
"THE WOMAN HATER"
By Ruby M. Ayres.
Adapted from "The Eleventh Virgin" by Dorothy Day.
With Helene Chadwick, Clive Brook, John Harron, Helen Dunbar and Dale Fuller.



## Announcement

On and after October 16, 1925, our milk will sell on the route for

12½c

A Quart.

G. W. Lucas
Ogden Dairy
C. M. Hartness
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Theo. F. Palmer
Cyrus F. Ashford


## New Legion Chief and Family

The new national commander of the American Legion is John R. McQuigg of Cleveland, who served with the 37th Division during the World War. He is shown here with his wife, his daughter, Pauline, and his son, Donald.

## Three Nodaway County Boys Are Champion Judges of Livestock

Because two Ravenwood boys and one from Maryville took an interest in the Four-H Baby Beef Club work, Nodaway County holds the distinction of winning the stock-judging contest at the Interstate Baby Beef Show in St. Joseph on Sept. 30. Two years ago this county was represented in the contest, which was won by the team from another county. Last year was a repetition of its predecessor. But this year, Fay Woodson Null of Maryville, and Roy Eldon Moore and Myron Crater of Ravenwood went to St. Joseph and captured the event besides taking second and third individual honors.

The Four-H Club work has been sponsored by the Nodaway County Farm Bureau. On Saturday, Sept. 26, J. Ross Fleetwood, agent, took eight members of the club to the C. D. Bellows farm near Maryville, where an elimination contest was held. Eldon Moore was chosen first and Fay Woodson Null and Myron Crater tied for second.

Then came the contest in St. Joseph, where nine county teams judged three classes of cattle, Hereford, Shorthorn, and Aberdeen-Angus. Nodaway County won first place with a total of 609 points. Clinton County was second with 584.

Individual honors went to R. W. Bland of Clinton with a total of 221 points. Young Crater took second with 211 points and Null was third with one point less.

Gold medals, the gift of Swift and Co., went to the winners.

Last year young Null and Crater were on the Nodaway County team. Both are well-versed on cattle points and both have placed with calves shown in shows. Last year Crater won first on his calf in the county show here, and Moore won fourth on his Shorthorn in the St. Joseph show. This year Null was third with his Hereford at St. Joseph.

Myron Crater is the oldest of the three boys, being 18, while Eldon Moore is 13 and Fay Woodson Null is fifteen. Practically all that the boys have learned of cattle has been through the Four-H Club activities.

According to Mr. Fleetwood, it is no small honor to win the St. Joseph contest. It reflects well on the county and shows a progressive era in the study of cattle.

Four-H Club work has grown in popularity in the last two years. More boys are becoming interested in the study of cattle and Nodaway County is among the leaders of the state in this respect.


## Schumacher-Rowley

THE BIG FOOD CENTER
—OFFER FOR—
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

FIELD'S NAPTHA SOAP, 7 bars for.... 25c
SWEET POTATOES, 7 lbs for ..... 25c
COFFEE, bulk Peaberry, per lb..... 40c
Frontier, steel cut, 1 lb can..... 50c
GOLD DUST, 7 packages for..... 25c
FRONTIER OATS, 15c size for..... 10c
BRICK CHILI, ½ lb bricks..... 15c
1 pound bricks..... 30c

HOT HOME MADE BOLOGNA
Wednesday Afternoon
Have you tried it? It is mighty good.

Candy Specials

Borden's Caramels, per pound..... 15c
Fancy mixed per pound..... 15c
BACON, good heavy bacon, per lb..... 32c
CHUCK ROASTS, per pound..... 17½c
MACKEREL, new pack, fat and meat, 2 for..... 35c
PEANUT BUTTER—Wilson's in pails, 11 oz. per pail..... 15c

BRAN BREAD

Made after the formula of Dr. Bell, the stomach specialist of St. Joseph. If you are fond of good wholesome bread you will be glad to know we are receiving it fresh daily.

PANCAKE FLOUR, Good Cheer, just arrived, 20 oz. package..... 10c
ENGLISH WALNUTS, big meaty kind, per lb..... 20c

AEROPLANE GAS—The highest test gas that is really High Test, per gallon..... 35c
5 gallons for..... $1.60


## Clark, Who Scored Tigers' Touchdown, Is Chillicothe Boy

Bertram Clark, whose touchdown was the main factor in the defeat of the Nebraska football team by the Missouri Tigers at Columbia, Saturday, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Clark of Chillicothe, former residents of Maryville. Clark played with the Chillicothe high school team a few years ago and was the star of the game when Chillicothe played the Maryville high school.

After graduating from the Chillicothe high school, Clark attended Principia Academy at St. Louis. He played quarterback in 1922 and 1923 and in the latter year was the scoring ace of the academy team, which was undefeated. He rolled up a total of 103 points during that season. Clark entered Missouri and was freshman quarterback last season. He is of the short stocky type of player. His speed and open field tactics mark him as one of the best football players in the Central West.

Yesterday's papers contained in part the following about how Clark scored the touchdown:

Then came what looked like a wide end run by Struber, but a certain Mister Clark—Bertram Clark, 150-pound sophomore—emerged from the mass as if by magic. Straber flipped the ball and Clark reached for it, caught it, held on. Clark was over the line and the score was tied. Then Captain Whiteman drop-kicked perfectly and Missouri was ahead, 7 to 6. It was Clarks first conference game.

## Senators Win From Pirates Sunday

Washington, Oct. 11.—The Senators won from Pittsburgh Sunday afternoon by a score of 4 to 0, before the mastery uncurled by the iron right arm of Walter Johnson. It was third setback for the National League champions in four games of the present series. Yesterday's triumph for Johnson was even more decisive than his first one.

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| Series In Figures | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Standing | Won | Lost | Pct. |
| Washington | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Pittsburgh | 1 | 3 | .250 |

First Game
Washington 4, Pittsburgh 1.
Second Game
Pittsburgh 3, Washington 1
Third Game
Washington 4, Pittsburgh 3.
Fourth Game
Washington 4, Pittsburgh 0.

| Finances | Fourth game | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Attendance | 38,701 | 159,264 |
| Receipts | $153,403.00 | $665,969.00 |
| Advisory council's share | 23,010.45 | 99,895.35 |
| Players' share | 78,235.53 | 339,644.19 |
| Each club's share | 26,078.51 | 113,214.73 |

The paid attendance at the fourth game of the 1924 series was 49,243 and the receipts $191,688.

The total paid attendance for the first four games last year was 168,533 and the receipts totaled $649,201.

## Reavis Will Run for State School Head

Jefferson City, Oct. 12.—Announcement was made by Prof. George W. Reavis that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for State Superintendent of Public Schools, which will be determined at the state primary to be held in August, 1926.

He was formerly assistant state superintendent when Gov. Baker filled the office of state superintendent, and has had many years' experience in school work, all in Missouri. His educational service includes the position of state supervisor of rural schools, state agricultural extension work and other activities.

For the past four years he has been State Director of Vocational Education, which includes training in the trades, home economics and agriculture. Nearly $500,000 of state and federal funds are used annually to reimburse school boards throughout the state where this work is carried on.


TAKE the White Belt Taxi to St. Joseph. leaves Hotchkins Book Store at 7:30 a. m. Will pick you up anywhere in town and deliver you back home with no extra charge. Connects with the bus line to Atchison, Leavenworth, Topeka. Also bus to Cameron, Plattsburg, Wathena, Troy or the Interurban limited to Kansas City. These connections are guaranteed or your fare refunded.

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MAIN AT FOURTH

These values in effect Tuesday & Wednesday

25 lb. sack fine GRANULATED SUGAR $1.50

Sauer Kraut
Quart cans Solid Pack 10c

2 cans Old Dutch Cleanser 15c

Yankee Peanut Candy 30c value on sale at 18c lb.

Meat Department
1 lb. Boxes SLICED BACON 48c
Fresh HAM ROAST, lb. 30c
PORK SHOULDER ROAST, lb. 25c
VEAL CHUCK ROAST, lb. 20c
VEAL BREAST lb. 16c
Swift's Smoked Cottage Rolls, each 40c

25c Cartons Cream of Wheat 21c

Lifebouy Health Soap 10c bars 3 for 19c

Red River Ohio Potatoes
Exceptional Quality—Now ready for delivery.
These are U. S. Graded No. 1's.
In new 2-bushel sacks. The price is
$3.00 per sack $1.50 per bu.
Much below present value.

Chocolate Fudge Candy
Rich—Creamy—Mellow
Usually sold for 35c lb.
On sale at 18c

Grand River Hickory Nuts
Per Peck 70c
Less Quantity
3 lbs. for 25c

Vegetables
Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs....25c
Mangoes, per doz. ....15c
Red Onions, 8 lbs. for..25c
Head Lettuce ....15c
Large Celery ....20c
Carrotts, 6 lbs. for ....25c

Miscellaneous
Corn Flakes, large pkg., 14c
Morton's Iodized Salt, 2 lb. box ....12c
40c carton Mother's Oats, with Aluminum ....31c
Large Carton Quail Rolled Oats ....20c
Small cartons, 2 for ....17c

No. 2 cans BLACKBERRIES 20c value for 15c
Quart Cans NEW HOMINY 3 cans 25c
No. 2 cans GOOSEBERRIES 25c value for 16c
No. 2 cans PITTED CHERRIES 30c value for 20c

Advance Notice of Special Sale on
PROCTOR & GAMBLE LAUNDRY AND TOILET SOAPS
It means almost double saving.
Sale begins Friday and continues ONE WEEK.

Maple Syrups
Log Cabin, 35c size....25c
Log Cabin, 65c size ....50c
Log Cabin, $1.25 size..$1.00
Wigwam, medium size, 38c
Wigwam, large size....75c
Old Manse, small size..32c
Old Manse, large size..60c

Mrs. Winston's PURE APPLE BUTTER
Gallon Cans for 85c
No. 2 size cans for 19c
Large Jars, 2 lbs., for 25c

40c Cartons GRAHAM CRACKERS 35c